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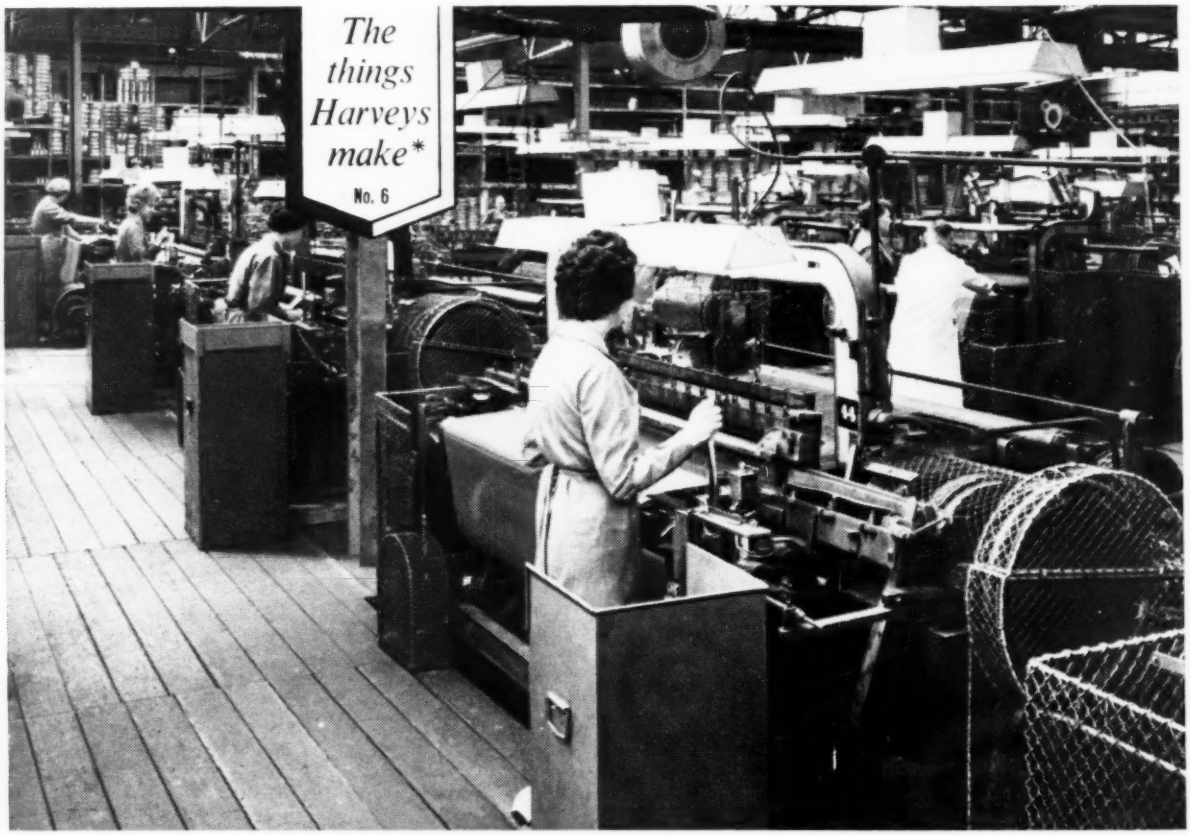

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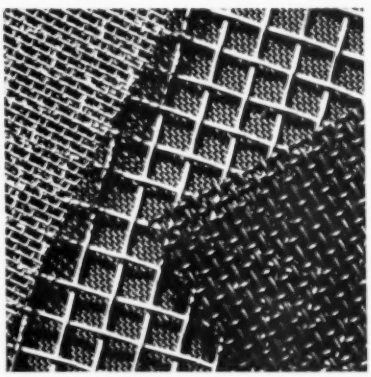

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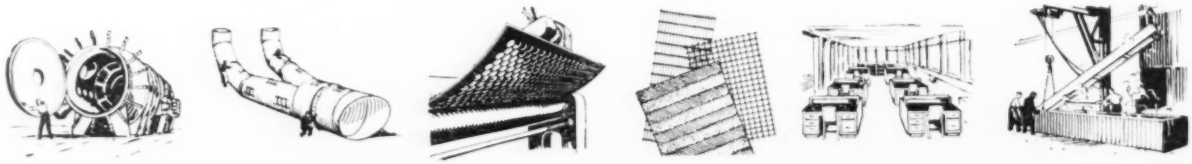

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Coming U.K. Exhibitions Stress Exports

'I MUST SEE that exhibition. There should be a number of new features there, and one of them might be the thing for which we are looking.' How many times have we heard that expression? Indeed, how many times have we ourselves said those words?

Between now and the end of the year hundreds of thousands of people, large numbers of whom will come from overseas, will attend one exhibition or another staged in various places in the United Kingdom—from Brighton in the south, to Newcastle upon Tyne in the north-east, and Blackpool in the north-west.

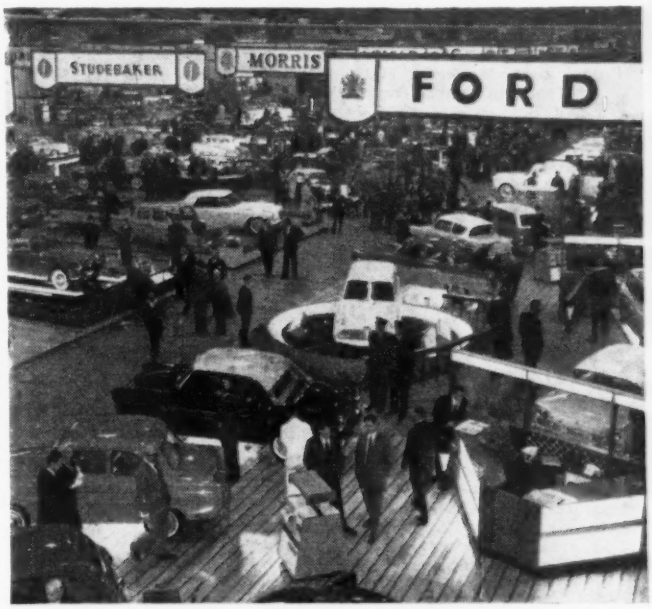
From today until December 31 there are 89 days during which 38 exhibitions will be held in this country – 25 in London, five in Manchester, four in Harrogate, Yorkshire, and one in each of the following places, Brighton, Blackpool, Farnborough, Hants, and Newcastle upon Tyne. (In addition there will be some 27 overseas fairs on 75 days between today and the end of November.)

A full list of trade fairs and exhibitions to be held in the United Kingdom during the next five months, and also during 1963 will be found on pages 266-268 of this issue.

Below is a preview in date order of some of the shows to be held during the remainder of this year.

The first on the list for this month is the 29th National Radio and Television Exhibition to be held at Earls Court, London. H.M. The Queen has consented to be patron of this year's show which opens on August 22 and continues until September 1. Last year 5,000 overseas visitors came from more than a hundred territories. This exhibition, while remaining national in character, will seek to be world-wide in its appeal. It is intended to give it this year an entirely 'now look'. All the stands on the ground floor will be built in an overall shell scheme which will emphasize the theme 'The Fair in the Air'. This is one of the exhibitions which has a tremendously popular appeal to the general public; but, more important the British Radio Equipment Manufacturers' Association feel that the show is of high value in terms of potential export sales. This year, in addition to manufacturers' export stands, there will be a composite export display on the ground floor where overseas visitors will be able to see the range of exhibitors' export products.

Before the Radio Show closes, the doors of Olympia will open on the British Food Fair, from August 28 to September 12. One would not normally regard Britain as a large exporter of food,



A view of last year's 46th Motor Show at Earls Court. This year's show will be held from October 17 to 27.

but it is encouraging to note that Mr. Rex Cooper, chairman of the Food Manufacturers' Federation exhibition committee, said recently: 'Britain's Food Fair 1962 is going to take on a new and exciting look, attract much larger attendance of the trade and public, and, more important still at this stage of international trade, be of greater interest to the overseas buyer. We hope that the fair will be the market place for Europe.'

The theme of the exhibition is 'Adventure in Eating' and this has been chosen so that the special features of the show and the

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Front Cover Photograph

At the dockside at Newport, Monmouthshire, during the loading of part of a large consignment of oil circuit breakers manufactured by South Wales Switchgear Limited, at their Blackwood factory, for the City of Los Angeles. Already Los Angeles has more than 300 of these units in Commission and has just awarded S.W.S. a repeat contract, bringing the total to more than 400, worth approximately 750,000 dollars.

exhibitors themselves can meet the constantly growing demand for knowledge about foods and the techniques of preparing and cooking them. It is expected that more than half a million visitors, trade and public, will attend this fair which will exhibit food from all over the world.

An event which has always attracted large crowds, and which can be said to have been seen by millions of people each year, is the Flying Display and Exhibition at the Royal Aircraft Establishment, Farnborough, Hants. Organized by the Society of British Aircraft Constructors, the show this year takes place from September 3 to 9, and is one of the very few exhibitions in England which is opened to the public on a Sunday. Featuring British exhibitors only, the show is open for the first four days to members of the trade. The general public are admitted on the last three days of the exhibition. But those who are unable to get to Farnborough can always see the wonderful displays presented on television. This year will be the last of the annual shows. It will resume in 1964 and will therafter be held every two years.

This year's event promises to be one of the best for many years with several new aircraft types making their debuts. Among them will be the de Havilland Trident three-jet airliner, the Vickers VC 10 long-range jet airliner, the de Havilland DG 125 executive jet, the Short Skyvan freighter and at least two new Beagle light executive and personal aircraft.

While the general public are still enjoying the Farnborough Air Show, another exhibition of an entirely different character will open at Olympia – the 10th International Handicrafts and Do It Yourself Exhibition. Staged from September 7 to 22, this is another fair which attracts considerable overseas interest both from exhibitors and visitors as well as an ever increasing number of 'do-it-yourself' enthusiasts from all parts of the country.

This exhibition is immediately followed by the International Motor Transport show at Earls Court, which is essentially a trade show with particular emphasis on overseas selling. Organized by the Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders Ltd. (from September 21-29) it attracts a large number of overseas buyers which last year numbered 2,439 out of a total attendance of 98,325.

The second International Heating, Ventilating and Air Conditioning Exhibition will be presented at Olympia from September 26 to October 5 to interested trade, commercial and industrial buyers. At the first staging of this exhibition last year some £7 million worth of orders and inquiries were reported by the organizers – Industrial Exhibitions Ltd.

Before the exhibition closes, another facet of the engineering 6th Gauge and Tool and Power Press Exhibition. More than 120 firms will exhibit a range of manufactures including gear cutting and checking equipment, diamond tools, power presses and industry will be opened on October 1 – again at Olympia – the ancilliary equipment.

While the technical experts of a section of the engineering industry examine the developments at this exhibition, other experts will be considering fashion industry presentations at two London hotels: the Fashion in Footwear Exhibition at the Washington Hotel from September 30 to October 4, and the Spring Shoes Exhibition at the Mount Royal Hotel from October 1 to 4. These two fairs are for members of the trade only and attract a number of overseas buyers.

Also on October 1 the 50th National Business Efficiency Exhibition will be opened again at Olympia. (An announcement of this exhibition appeared in the *Board of Trade Journal* on June 15, page 1342.)

Within a week of this exhibition ending, Earls Court will feature the International Motor Exhibition from October 17 to 27. This exhibition attracts a large number of overseas buyers to see the latest developments in Britain's motor industry with its presentation of private cars, carriage work, motorized caravans, garage equipment, accessories, components and other equipment. Among the countries which have been represented at this show in previous years are Russia, Poland, Scandinavia, Italy, Portugal, Spain, Germany and France.

Again in October, comes the 76th annual Royal Dairy Show at Olympia from October 23 to 26. This exhibition, which also attracts large numbers from overseas, features dairy plant of all descriptions, live cattle, pigs, poultry and dairy produce.

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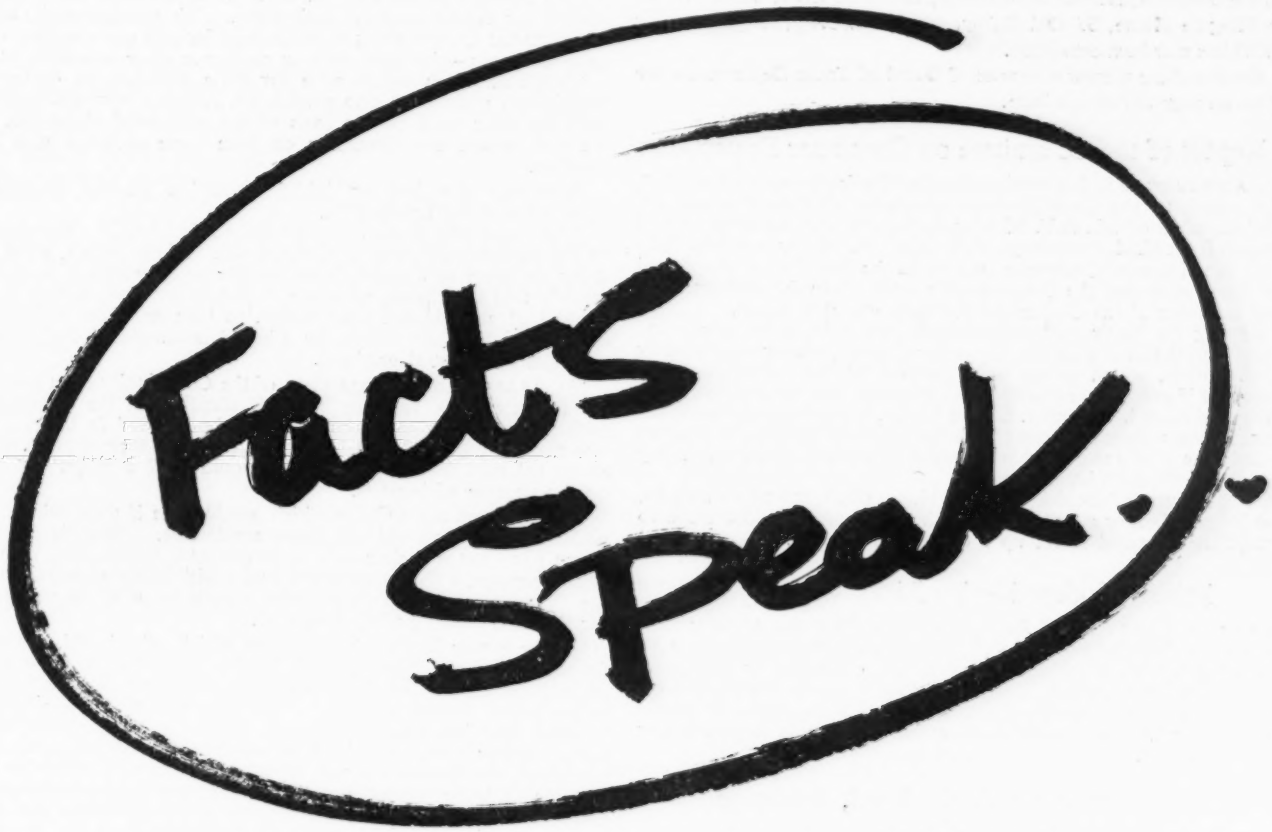

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New Addresses of Some Board of Trade Offices

The removal of Export Services Branch and some other Board of Trade Departments from Lacon House, Theobalds Road, London W.C.1 to Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London E.C.4 (Telephone: City 5757) has now been completed.

Details of the present addresses of Board of Trade Departments are given on page 257 of this issue.

Report of the Committee on Consumer Protection

AS ANNOUNCED in last week's *Board of Trade Journal* on page 184, the report of the Committee on Consumer Protection under the chairmanship of Mr. J. T. Molony, Q.C., was published on July 25 (copies from H.M. Stationery Office, price 18s. 0d., by post 18s. 10d.)

In the House of Commons on July 26 the President of the Board of Trade expressed the Government's gratitude to the chairman and the members of the Committee for their valuable report.

Among its many recommendations, the Committee gives first priority to the setting up of a Consumer Council, wholly supported by public funds, which would be appointed by the President of the Board of Trade as an authoritative spokesman for the consumer and the guardian of his interests. Linked to this, it recommends that additional support should be given to Citizens' Advice Bureaux in order to make more widely and effectively available the local advice which they can give to the dissatisfied shopper.

In the course of the debate in the House of Commons on July 26, the Prime Minister announced that the Government had decided to accept the proposal to set up a consumers' council.

British Modern Design Links With Japan

PRINCESS CHICHIBU of Japan, who is visiting this country as a guest of the British Government, visited the Design Centre on July 27.

During her visit, the Princess met the chairmen or managing directors of five leading British department stores who have collaborated with the Council of Industrial Design in mounting special exhibitions of Japanese goods on an exchange quota basis with similar stores in Japan.

Duties on some Rush, Reed, Straw or Grass Matting

THE TREASURY have made the Import Duties (General) (No. 9) Order 1962.

This Order reduces the import duty (both full and EFTA rates) on certain mats and mattings of rush, reed, straw or grass. It also provides for changes in the form of the sub-headings of headings No. 22.08 and 22.09 of the Customs Tariff 1959 to accord with the simplified charging provisions of the revenue duties on certain imported spirits.

The Order came into operation on August 1, 1962, and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1962, No. 1564.

Coming U.K. Exhibitions (*Continued*)

London is then free of exhibitions from the end of the Dairy Show until November 10, when for a week the British Cycle and Motor Cycle Show takes place. Visitors to this exhibition last year numbered 170,025. This exhibition is followed on November 27 until the end of the month by the 4th Corrosion and Metal Finishing Exhibition at Olympia. On November 28, the day after the opening of this exhibition, the International Caravan Exhibition opens also at Olympia. This fair has increased in size over the past years because of the popularity of caravans among holiday makers. The industry has also a good export record.

With Christmas almost on the doorstep, the year ends – as far as exhibitions and fairs are concerned – with the Royal Smithfield Show and Agricultural Machinery Exhibition at Earls Court. This show presents tractors, machinery and implements, accessories, components, supplies and services and equipment for agriculture and horticulture, cattle, sheep, pigs, dressed carcasses and butchers' equipment.

Mr. Edward Heath Reports on E.E.C. Negotiations

MR. EDWARD HEATH, the Lord Privy Seal, made the following statement in Parliament on Monday on the progress of the Brussels Negotiations with the European Economic Community:

'A meeting of Ministers took place in Brussels from July 24 to 28. At our first session on July 24, we resumed discussion of problems arising for British domestic agriculture. We considered the extent to which the Community's arrangements for two commodities – pigmeat and eggs – give producers an assurance of an adequate return.

'Problems which would arise for these commodities during the transitional stage were also considered. Officials were instructed to continue their work on the basis of the ministerial discussion, and we will resume our discussion on both these products at a later meeting.

'Ministers also had an initial discussion on the transitional arrangements for horticulture.

'The major part of the meeting – from July 25 to 28 – was devoted to the problem of imports of foodstuffs, mainly cereals, meat and dairy products and sugar, from the Commonwealth. As I have already told the House, all seven Governments have agreed, in the context of an enlarged Community, to take an early initiative to secure long-term agreements on a broad international basis for the principal agricultural products.

'At the same time, the members of the Community have accepted the importance of reaching an understanding on the purposes of such agreements and on the points to be covered in them. We also considered together the question of price and production policy in an enlarged Community, which would have a major influence on the volume of imports.

'We discussed the position which would arise if these wide international agreements did not prove practicable. The Six Governments have stated their readiness to conclude agreements, with the same purposes, with those countries who wish to do so, in particular, the Commonwealth countries. The consideration of arrangements for the transitional period continued.

'As the House knows, the problems which arise in this sector of foodstuffs are the most difficult in the negotiations. They are complicated by the fact that the Community's price policies are still in the course of development. We must seek to strike a balance between the interests of farmers in an enlarged Community, including our own, and the interests of traditional exporters, in particular, the Commonwealth. In so doing we must recognize that patterns of trade cannot and will not remain static, but that the arrangements reached must promise to work out fairly and must not damage the essential interests of those concerned.

'In the intensive discussions that have taken place during the past week we have made some progress in each of the sectors I have just mentioned. We did not, however, reach agreement, and the discussions will be continued at a further ministerial meeting this week, beginning on Wednesday, August 1.'

Parliamentary discussion of the statement is given in columns 35-43 of Hansard of July 30.

(*Earlier Parliamentary statements by the Lord Privy Seal on the progress of the negotiations were given in the* Board of Trade Journal *issues of July* 27 (*page* 186), *July* 6 (*page* 3), *May* 25 (*page* 1119) *and March* 16 (*page* 553)).

United Kingdom Trade in the Second Quarter

THE article under the above heading in last week's *Board of Trade Journal* embodied, on page 188, a table headed: 'United Kingdom Exports by Areas and Countries.'

In the third column of this table, under the heading: 2nd quarter, 1962 the following items should read:

Economic Community	184.7	(+20)
Seasonally adjusted	*179*	
Italy	37.9	(+30)
Free Trade Association including Finland	134.8	(+ 8)
Seasonally adjusted	*129*	
Portugal, Azores and Madeira	8.6	(−38)
Spain, Canary Islands and Spanish Ports in North Africa	14.6	(+68)

and not as previously published.

E.C.G.D. Business in Second Quarter of 1962

BUSINESS declared under E.C.G.D. 'commercial' insurance during the second quarter of 1962 was, at £220·5 million, a record for this quarter, although below the record figure of £221·0 million in the previous quarter. It was 16 per cent. up on the figure of £189·2 million in the corresponding quarter last year.

The face value of Comprehensive policies current at the end of the quarter was a record at £920·0 million, compared with £777·2 million a year ago, and the number of these policies increased over this period from 5,537 to 6,136.

New Specific policies issued during the quarter amounted to £22·5 million, compared with a quarterly average of £20·0 million in the last financial year. These included contracts for papermaking machinery (£3·8 million), three ships (£2·3 million), and for radar equipment (£1·1 million). Taking new Specific contracts together with contracts covered under Comprehensive policies which involved more than six months credit, the value of new business during the quarter where terms exceeded six months amounted to £49·2 million, compared with £51·2 million in the previous quarter and a quarterly average over the last financial year of £45·1 million.

One Financial Guarantee has now been issued, and in a further three cases the contract is known to have been awarded to the firms concerned. In 26 cases a Financial Guarantee has been offered in principle on contracts still under negotiation. In all these amount to a value of £177·0 million.

At the end of the quarter 1,023 'Small Exporter' policies had been issued, under which cover for £1·8 million had so far been allocated.

Formal quarterly Statement

The number of Comprehensive policies current (under Section 1 of the Export Guarantees Acts) at the end of the second quarter of 1962 was 6,136. This compared with 6,001 at the beginning of the quarter and 5,537 at the end of the corresponding quarter last year.

The face value of Comprehensive policies current at the end of the quarter was £920·0 million, compared with £902·3 million at the beginning of the quarter, and £777·2 million at the end of the corresponding quarter last year.

New Specific policies (covering individual contracts) to a face value of £22·5 million were issued during the quarter. Taking these together with new contracts involving more than six months credit declared under Comprehensive policies, the total of new business insured during the quarter where terms have exceeded six months credit was £49·2 million, compared with the quarterly average over the preceding twelve months of £45·1 million.

The combined value of all Comprehensive and Specific insured business (including external trade) declared as shipped during the quarter amounted to £220·5 million, compared with £221·0 million in the previous quarter and £189·2 million in the corresponding quarter last year.

The E.C.G.D. announcement includes the following note:

With this quarter's figure we have modified the 'formal quarterly statement' to take account of changes in business since we instituted these statements in 1956.

Now that business on up to five years credit can be covered under Comprehensive policies, the original descriptions 'short term' and 'medium term' are misnomers, and have been replaced by 'Comprehensive' and 'Specific.' This is merely a change in terminology: the 'short term' series has always included business on longer terms covered under endorsement to a Comprehensive (originally known as 'short term') policy.

With the growing volume of Comprehensive business on longer terms we considered it useful to group this with the figures for Specific business, providing a combined figure for 'new business where terms have exceeded six months credit.'

E.C.G.D. Opens New Office for South London

The Export Credits Guarantee Department opened a new office on Monday (July 30) to handle the business of exporters in the S.W., S.E., and E.C.4 areas of London, and the counties of Hants, Surrey, Sussex, and Kent. The office is at Clements House (Wood Street entrance), 14-18 Gresham Street, London, E.C.2.

The opening of this third London branch office is made necessary by the continued expansion in the business handled by the London offices, which has doubled in the last four years, and over the last year alone increased by 28 per cent. from an annual face value of £374 million to £482 million. It is the policy of E.C.G.D. to open new offices wherever the growth of existing offices makes it difficult for managers to maintain close contact with all the business transacted by their offices.

The telephone number of the new office is Monarch 4581. Telex is in course of installation: the number will be 24812.

Further Advance Factories

MR. FREDERICK ERROLL, President of the Board of Trade, announced in the House of Commons on July 26 that preparations were now being made for converting the Admiralty repair shop at Donibristle for industrial use and, that, in addition he had decided to build one advance factory in each of the following areas, the exact location of each factory depending on the availability of suitable land:

Scotland:

N.E. Lanarkshire—Whitburn, Larkhall—Lesmahagow—Douglas, Central West Fife, Central Ayrshire, Sanquhar—Kirkconnel, and Stranraer.

England:

S.W. Durham and S.E. Northumberland.

Wales:

N.W. Wales.

The President said that the exact location of each factory would depend on the availability of suitable land and that if negotiations which have been going on for some time lead to industrial development at Stranraer the advance factory allocated to this area would be sited elsewhere in Scotland.

Notes:

i. The decision to build a number of advance factories was announced by the then Secretary of State for Scotland (Mr. J. Maclay) in his statement on the Scottish Economy on July 11. The Minister of Labour (Mr. Hare) announced in winding up the Debate on the North-East Coast on July 23-24, that two of these factories would be in the North-East, one in County Durham and the other in Northumberland. Mr. Hare said that the precise location of the factories would take account of the employment needs of the area and the likelihood of the location being attractive to industry.

ii. It will be seen that most of the factories are to be sited in areas likely to be seriously affected by colliery closures. The problem in Stranraer is the exceptionally high and persistent rate of unemployment there, and in N.W. Wales similar conditions are expected when employment on the Trawsfynydd project comes to an end.

iii. The Under-Secretary of State for Scotland (Mr. Brooman-White) announced in the Scottish Grand Committee on May 8 that it had been decided the Board of Trade should take over 54 acres of the former Royal Naval Air Station at Donibristle for industrial development. The conversion of the repair shop into an advance factory of 50,000 sq. ft. is one part of the project for converting this attractive site, located near the new Forth Bridge, into an industrial estate.

(*Further Parliamentary Questions on pages* 259-260)

Another New Factory Opened in Ulster

THE PRIME MINISTER of Northern Ireland, Lord Brookeborough, welcomed 'the beginnings of an important new industry' in Ulster when he opened the first factory of Standard Telephones and Cables (Northern Ireland) Ltd., at Monkstown, Newtownabbey on July 25. Production has started in the factory which now employs over 300 people. This advance factory was provided by the Northern Ireland Development Council to enable the Company to train staff and to build up production facilities in readiness for its main 280,000 sq. ft. factory now under construction nearby. This is due to be completely occupied by the end of next year.

E.E.C. Bulletin

The July issue of the 'Bulletin from the European Community' is now available. Copies free from Information Service of the European Communities, 23 Chesham Street, London, S.W.1.

New Companies Registered in June

DETAILS of new companies registered in Great Britain during June 1962 showing nominal capital are shown below. The figures are exclusive of *unlimited* companies and companies *limited by guarantee*.

Nominal Capital	Public Companies	Private Companies	Total
Under £1,000		1,745	1,745
£1,000 and under £10,000		835	835
£10,000 and under £50,000		131	131
£50,000 and under £100,000		7	7
£100,000 and under £1,000,000		12	12
£1,000,000 and above		1	1
Total number		2,731	2,731
Total amount of Nominal Capital	'000's	'000's * £36,710	'000's £36,710

Companies Registered in Great Britain in 1961-1962

	1961		1962	
	Number	Nominal Capital £'000's	Number	Nominal Capital £'000's
January	2,933	8,057	2,354	15,038
February	2,731	9,304	2,530	7,667
March	3,820	17,075	3,552	10,032
April	2,620	8,470	2,697	6,924
May	3,020	9,402	3,165	8,572
June	3,084	10,669	2,731	36,710
July	2,682	7,144		
August	2,466	7,142		
September	2,411	8,385		
October	2,456	8,005		
November	2,584	8,979		
December	2,405	7,770		
Total	33,212	110,402		

Application for the Renewal of an Existing Drawback Scheme

THE BOARD OF TRADE give notice that they are considering an application for the continuance, after December 31, 1962, of drawback facilities introduced on May 31, 1960, for the following imported materials when used in making the export goods described:

Imported Materials	Exported Goods
Blends of styrene-acrylonitrile copolymers with butadiene-acrylonitrile copolymers.	Tubes of an external diameter not less than 0·66 in. and not more than 6·64 in. and fittings for such tubes, being tubes or fittings exported on or before December 31, 1962, and containing no material other than blends of styrene-acrylonitrile copolymers with butadiene-acrylonitrile copolymers.

Anyone wishing to support or oppose this application should do so in writing to the Tariff and Import Policy Division, Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1, **before August 21, 1962.**

Drawback on Linseed Oil, some Crepe Paper and Goods of EFTA Origin

THE TREASURY have made the Import Duty Drawbacks (No. 8) Order 1962. This Order:

(a) provides for the allowance of drawback of import duty on linseed oil used in the manufacture of linoleum, not printed, on a base of resin coated paper felt;

(b) extends until July 31, 1963, the operation of the drawback scheme for creped paper used in the manufacture of exported adhesive tape; and

(c) formally applies to Commonwealth goods the principle now applicable to goods of EFTA origin, in cases where their eligibility for drawback when exported without change in state depends on the rate of import duty paid, of determining their eligibility by reference to the full rate and not the preferential rate of import duty.

The Order came into operation on August 1, 1962, and has been published as Statutory Instruments 1962, No. 1563.

Oil Industry and the N.E.D.C. Inquiry

THE OIL industry is included in the current inquiry by the staff of the National Economic Development Council into the effects on industry and the economy generally if the growth of national output can be raised to 4 per cent. per annum in the period up to 1966.

The staff aim to finish their industrial investigations by the end of September, so as to be in a position to complete their report by the end of the year. Several oil companies have been asked to assist the staff, particularly those who could help on the statistical side. It is still open to any oil companies who wish to do so, to put forward views on any factors which may be seen to be hampering the efficiency of the oil industry in this country, or which might prevent it from meeting the needs of a faster growing economy.

Any communications on this subject should be addressed to the Secretary, N.E.D.C., 1 Bridge Street, London, S.W.1.

180,000 Overseas Visitors in Britain during May

MORE than 180,000 overseas visitors came to Britain in May, reports the British Travel and Holidays Association, Britain's official tourist organization. This was an increase of ten per cent. on the same month last year. Visitors from Europe during the month numbered over 80,200 – an increase of 20 per cent. on May, 1961.

Belgium was the European country recording the highest percentage increase on the month – 14,460 visitors, compared with 5,570 in May, last year – an increase of 160 per cent. Other European countries registering large increases were France (30 per cent.), Denmark (18 per cent.) and Switzerland (12 per cent.).

Visitors to Britain from the United States in May totalled 43,740 – an increase of three per cent. on the same month last year. The May figures brought the total number of overseas visitors to Britain in the first five months of the year to 560,900, which represented an increase of ten per cent. on the same period in 1961.

British Film Fund Agency

THE BRITISH Film Fund Agency has published the following information for the five weeks ended June 30, 1962:

Distributors' earnings submitted:		
High cost films	£643,082	
Low cost films:		
Eligible (after multiplying by 2)	£106,122	
Not eligible for 2 times rental	£11,081	
		£760,285
Films of less than 3,000 feet (after multiplying by 2½)		£60,354
		£820,639
Levy collections paid to Agency by H.M. Customs and Excise to July 7, 1962, approximately covering entertainments to June 30, 1962		£359,400

The eighth interim allocation for the fifth distribution period will be at the rate of 44 per cent.

National Film Finance Corporation Annual Report

The Annual Report of the National Film Finance Corporation for the year ended March 31, 1962 was published on Tuesday. Copies of the report will be available from H.M. Stationery Office, Cmd. 1793, price 1s. 6d.

Northern Ireland Index of Industrial Production

THE PROVISIONAL index of Industrial Production for Northern Ireland for May, 1962 prepared by the Ministry of Commerce, is 116. This is six points higher than the index for April, 1962, (which included Easter), and one point lower than that for May, 1961, (which included Whitsun).

The index numbers of the main industrial groups in May, 1962, with the increase or decrease on May, 1961, shown in brackets are: Textiles 109 (−4 points); Clothing 124 (−4); Engineering and Metals 103 (+2); Food, Drink and Tobacco 128 (−8); Timber and Furniture 107 (−15); Other Manufacturing Industries 140 (+1); Construction 118 (+13); Gas, Electricity and Water 124 (+6).

Import and Export Prices in June

IN JUNE the index of export prices remained unchanged at 113 (1954=100) but, with an increase of one point in the import price index which rose to 96, the terms of trade moved up one point to 85.

A rise of over two per cent. in the index for the food, beverages and tobacco class of imports, largely due to increased prices for meat, fruit and vegetables, was responsible for most of the overall rise in the import price index. There was also a rise in the index for manufactured good although the rounded index remains unchanged. The indices for both fuels and basic materials fell, the fuels index by 1½ per cent. or two points in the rounded index. The fall of almost 1 per cent. in the price of basic materials is not reflected in the rounded index.

There was no change in the overall export price index or in the total index for manufactured goods. Within the manufactured goods class, however, there was a fall in the textiles index partially offset by a slight rise in the engineering goods index; neither of these movements are reflected in the rounded indices.

The method of calculating the import and export price index was explained in the *Board of Trade Journal* of May 2, 1958.

(1954 = 100)

	Imports					Exports						* Terms of Trade
		(Class A)	(Class B)	(Class C)	(Class D)		Manufactured Goods (Class D)					
	Total	Food, Beverages and Tobacco	Basic Materials	Fuels	Manufactures	Total	Total	† Metals	‡ Engineering Products	§ Textiles (excluding clothing)	Other	
1955	103	101	104	102	109	102	102	104	103	100	102	101
1956	105	101	106	110	110	106	106	112	107	99	104	99
1957	107	101	110	128	104	111	109	115	112	101	106	96
1958	99	97	96	112	101	110	111	118	115	101	105	90
1959	98	98	93	104	104	109	111	115	117	98	106	90
1960	99	97	96	98	107	111	114	118	120	102	106	89
1961	97	94	95	96	107	112	115	118	122	106	106	86
1961 January	98	97	94	95	107	112	114	118	121	105	106	88
February	97	94	94	96	107	112	115	119	122	107	105	87
March	97	95	94	96	107	112	115	118	121	106	106	87
April	98	96	95	97	108	112	115	118	121	107	106	88
May	99	96	97	96	109	112	115	117	120	107	107	88
June	98	95	96	95	108	112	115	116	121	108	106	88
July	97	92	97	96	107	112	115	118	121	105	106	86
August	95	91	96	93	106	112	115	119	122	107	105	85
September	95	91	95	95	106	112	115	117	123	106	106	85
October	96	91	95	96	106	112	115	118	122	106	106	85
November	96	93	93	97	106	112	115	118	122	104	107	85
December	96	93	94	96	106	113	116	118	123	106	107	85
1962 January	96	93	93	96	106	113	116	119	123	106	107	85
February	96	94	93	96	105	113	116	120	123	106	106	85
March	96	94	92	96	105	113	116	120	123	107	107	85
April	96	96	92	96	105	113	116	120	123	107	106	85
May	95	94	91	96	104	113	116	120	123	106	105	84
June	96	96	91	94	104	113	116	120	123	106	105	85

* Import price index as percentage of the export price index.
† Export List Division D.12, 13 and 14.
‡ Export List Division D.15, 16 and 17, 18, 19 and 22.
§ Export List Division D.6, 7, 8 and 9.

Business Monitor : Production Series

THE FOLLOWING titles and issues of Business Monitor Production Series are now available, and copies may be obtained by annual subscription from H.M. Stationery Office, P.O. Box 569, London, S.E.1.

Monthly at £1 a year, post free:

Motor Cycles, Pedal Cycles and Parts for May, 1962.

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(Rubber consumption in May at 30·2 thousand tons was nearly 3 per cent. more than a year earlier; the increase was solely in synthetic rubber. The value of sales (other than tyres, etc., and footwear) by larger manufacturers was 6½ per cent. more than a year ago.)

Quarterly at 7s. 6d. a year, post free:

Narrow Fabrics for March-May, 1962.

(The total value of manufacturers' sales of narrow fabrics in the three months March-May, 1962, increased rather more than seasonally and was 12 per cent. more than in the previous three months though still something over 2 per cent. less than a year earlier.)

Control of Preservatives Used in Food

REVISED REGULATIONS issued by The Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food controlling the presence of preservatives in food and the labelling of preservatives came into operation in England and Wales on July 26. The Regulations, which implement recommendations of the Food Standards Committee, add a number of foods to the list of those at present permitted to contain preservatives and permit the use of some preservatives which have not hitherto been allowed in food.

The labelling provisions of the new regulations are substantially the same as those in the existing regulations. The Food Standards Committee is, however, reviewing the Labelling of Food Order and the labelling provisions of other regulations. The Secretary of State for Scotland is making corresponding regulations to apply in Scotland, and similar regulations will also be made for Northern Ireland.

Decoding Volume

'Ocecode', a decoding volume for nautical and electronics terminology, is available from Bailey Bros. & Swinfen Ltd., West Central Street, London, W.C.1. 70s.

Production of Man-made Fibres in June

PRODUCTION of man-made fibres in June was 12 per cent. more than in June 1961. Compared with a year earlier output of continuous filament yarn was 11 per cent. more and output of staple fibre 13 per cent. more.

Total deliveries of man-made fibres in the three months April-June 1962, were 8 per cent. more than in the same quarter of 1961. Continuing the trend in the first quarter of 1962, deliveries to both the warp knitting and hosiery industries were more than in the same quarter of 1961 – by 32 and 43 per cent. respectively – but deliveries to the weaving industry were 13 per cent. less. Deliveries of staple fibre to the cotton spinning industry were 4 per cent. less than a year earlier but deliveries to the wool and other spinning industries were nearly 10 per cent. more. Deliveries for export of continuous filament yarn were nearly twice as much as a year earlier and deliveries for export of staple fibre nearly a quarter more.

Production

(Million lb. 'delivered weight' basis)

	Continuous Filament Yarn (Singles)	Staple Fibre	Total
1958 (quarterly average)	47·9	57·7	105·5
1959 (quarterly average)	58·9	69·8	128·7
1960 (quarterly average)	67·2	80·8	148·0
1961 (quarterly average)	66·0	76·4	142·4
1961 1st quarter	67·5	71·6	139·1
2nd Quarter	65·8	72·0	137·8
3rd Quarter	60·7	77·4	138·1
4th Quarter	67·9	84·7	152·6
1962 1st Quarter	67·8	78·9	146·7
2nd Quarter	73·4	83·6	157·1
1961 May	22·8	23·5	46·3
June	22·3	27·0	49·3
1962 May	25·9	29·2	55·1
June	24·8	30·5	55·3

Deliveries of Continuous Filament Yarns

(Thousand lb., actual weight)

	1961			1962	
	April-June	July-Sept.	Oct.-Dec.	Jan.-March	April-June
Weaving	20,537	17,844	20,700	20,012	17,791
Hosiery	6,142	6,209	7,905	8,491	8,795
Warp knitting	5,912	5,395	7,247	7,157	7,816
Industrial purposes (tyres, etc.)	21,025	18,769	18,903	20,961	20,029
Other purposes	2,970	2,617	2,911	2,806	2,784
Exports as yarn (a)	8,868	10,596	13,980	15,255	15,333
Total	65,455	61,431	71,646	74,682	72,549

(a) The figures refer to deliveries from the industry direct for export and may differ from the totals recorded as exports in the monthly trade accounts.

Deliveries of Staple Fibre

(Thousand lb., actual weight)

	1961			1962	
	April-June	July-Sept.	Oct.-Dec.	Jan.-March	April-June
Cotton spinning	28,290	27,921	29,467	27,726	27,215
Wool spinning	17,978	16,231	20,868	20,200	19,000
Flax spinning	5,680	5,189	5,663	6,110	5,341
Other spinning systems and sundries	7,367	6,948	8,170	8,740	8,478
Exports (a)	16,279	17,534	23,468	16,911	20,102
Total	75,595	73,822	87,637	79,687	80,137

(a) The figures refer to deliveries from the industry for export and may differ from the totals recorded as exports in the monthly trade accounts.

Industrial Fibres

World production of the chief industrial fibres in the 1960-61 season is estimated to have risen by about 1½ per cent. above the previous season's record to reach a new peak of some 43,200 million lb., according to Industrial Fibres'. Copies: H.M. Stationery Office. 10s. (by post 10s. 10d.).

FBI Handbooks on the Treaty of Rome

THE Federation of British Industries have published two handbooks on various aspects of the Treaty of Rome. They are:

(1) The Rome Treaty:

The object of this first booklet, which was written by the staff, is two fold: to provide an outline of the Treaty of Rome and of how it is being implemented, and, in so doing, to provide a general framework of reference to the more detailed studies of the individual aspects of the Treaty, and of regulations made under it which will be the subject of subsequent handbooks.

(2) Restrictive Trade Practices and the European Economic Community:

This study has been prepared by the staff for the guidance of members of the Federation. The FBI point out that since the interpretation of certain parts of the relevant articles is difficult and probably contentious, it would be in many cases hazardous for industrialists to take decisions simply on the basis of the expositions given in the booklet. Nevertheless, it is hoped that it will be of value to those who seek a broad introduction to the Treaty rules of competition and their complexities.

The two handbooks are available from the Federation of British Industries, 21 Tothill Street, London, S.W.1. Price 10s. each.

Free Purchase Tax Under Personal Export Scheme

THE COMMISSIONERS of Customs and Excise have extended entitlement to buy goods free of purchase tax under the Personal Export Scheme to foreign and Commonwealth merchant seamen who are domiciled abroad and are serving in foreign- or Commonwealth-owned ships not regularly plying to United Kingdom ports, and whose absences from this country exceed three months.

Seamen wishing to participate in the Scheme should obtain from the ship's agent a statement that the ship is foreign- or Commonwealth-owned and is proceeding abroad for a period exceeding three months. They should produce it to the shopkeeper along with their passport, seaman's book or identity document confirming that they are nationals of a foreign or a Commonwealth country.

Traders selling goods tax free to such seamen should satisfy themselves about their entitlement by inspecting both the statement referred to above and their passport (or seamen's book or identity document) and should note on Form P.T.40 that they have done so.

The general arrangements of Customs and Excise Notice No. 77E, paragraphs 15-32 should also be followed.

U.C.P.T.E. – Ten Years of Activity

The O.E.C.D. has published a report on the first ten years (1951-1961) of the Union for the Co-ordination of Production and Transmission of Electricity (U.C.P.T.E.) (1). Inquiries for copies to 2 rue Andre-Pascal, Paris 16.

The Control and Use of Metals

'Metallurgical Principles for Engineers' now published, explains the relationships between metal physics, the practical use of metals and the development of specific properties in alloys to meet engineerinng requirements. Copies: Iliffe Books Ltd., Stamford Street, London, S.E.1. Price 85s.

New Edition of Trade Fairs Guide

A **fourth edition** of the booklet 'Trade Fairs Help Exports—Hints For the Small Exhibitor' has been produced by the Board of Trade for the guidance of small firms contemplating exhibiting overseas for the first time. The booklet explains the purposes of exhibiting and gives guidance on the choice of fairs, the organization of exhibits and on official assistance available to the British exhibitor. It also lists major specialized fairs overseas. Copies can be obtained free of charge from any Board of Trade Regional Office or from Export Publicity and Fairs Branch, Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1. (Reference: G.D. 1361/62.)

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Textile Institute Year Book

The 1962/63 Year Book of the Textile Institute includes a list of committees, details of the recipients of Institute medals, and of the various scholarships administered by the Institute, and test facilities available in the industry. Details of textile organizations as well as overseas' organizations are also included, as well as a list of textile consultants. Inquiries for copies: The Textile Institute, 10 Blackfriars Street, Manchester 3.

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United Kingdom firms are invited to send in brief details of new export orders or contracts for publication on this page.

Chickens for Nigeria

Sterling Poultry Products Ltd., have consigned 20,000 New Silver Link pullet chicks to the Nigerian Government for distribution as part of the Nigerian Village Development Scheme. Nearly a million Sterling chicks were exported last year, many of them to under-developed countries, who are said to be finding that the quickest and cheapest way of augmenting the supply of protein for human diet is to increase their poultry flocks.

Semi-trailers for Malaya

Cranes (Dereham) Ltd., of Dereham, Norfolk, have supplied two 30-ton detachable rear axle semi-trailers for transporting civil engineering and public works equipment, to the Public Works Department, Malaya. The trailers are to work with A.E.C. Mammoth Major G6/RAW prime movers.

Switchgear for Overseas Countries

South Wales Switchgear Ltd., of Blackwood, Monmouthshire, have received overseas orders for switchgear and kindred equipment from Aden, Ceylon, Ghana, Hong Kong, India, Kuwait, Nigeria, Pakistan, New Zealand, South Africa, Southern Rhodesia and Trinidad & Tobago.

Asphalt and Bituminous Plants for Fiji

An order worth £25,000 has been secured by Frederick Parker Ltd., the Leicester engineering firm, for one of their new series 7 asphalt and bituminous plants for the Public Works Department at Suva, Fiji. The plant will be used in connection with important road schemes.

Diesel Engines for Austria

More than 700 Perkins diesel engines have been ordered from a combine harvester manufacturer in Austria.

Tugs for New Zealand

Brooke Marine tugs will be used for the handling and manoeuvring of oil tankers up to 87,000 tons at the refinery at Marsden Point, and for general harbour and fire-fighting duties in Whangeri Harbour, New Zealand.

Dunlop Belting for U.S.S.R.

Seven miles of conveyor belting has been ordered by the U.S.S.R. from the Belting Division of the Dunlop Rubber Co. Production has already started for delivery at the end of the year. The belts are four feet wide and covered with a special abrasion resistant compound designed for ore handling.

Construction Materials for Pakistan

The Ruberoid Co. Ltd., of London is taking part in work surrounding the construction of the Mangla Dam on the Jhelum River, Pakistan. The company's built-up roofing will protect various auxiliary buildings attached to the dam. Materials for 400,000 sq. ft. of this type of Ruberoid roofing have been shipped to Pakistan.

The first Leyland Atlantean rear-engined double-deck bus in use by the Oporto Municipality. It was constructed in Portugal by Martins & Caetano Ltd., under licence from the original designers, Metropolitan-Cammell-Weyman Ltd. It is also the first Atlantean to have its front entrance on the (British) off side.

New Power Station for Trinidad

Taylor Woodrow (Overseas) Ltd., have been awarded a contract valued at about £1,200,000 to construct the new Port of Spain 'B' thermal power station, Trinidad, for Trinidad and Tobago Electricity Commission. The consulting engineers for the civil engineering works are Howard Humphreys & Sons. Work, which is expected to start in August, is due for completion by June, 1964.

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Questions Asked and Answered in Parliament

Below is a selection of Parliamentary Answers of interest to trade and industry.

Tuesday July 17

Modernization of Cotton Industry

Mr. Frederick Erroll, President of the Board of Trade, was asked in view of the fact that collectively the cotton industry had, since June 28, put in new proposals for spending more than £100 million on modernization, he would now respond to this lead by the industry by providing the safeguards regarding imports which were necessary for the effective operation of the Cotton Industry Act.

In reply, the President said:

'While recognizing that applications for re-equipment grant do not commit firms to their implementation, I welcome the fact that they have reached some £115 million. I hope that the safeguards regarding imports which I explained to the House on June 6 and June 28 will encourage the industry to press forward with its much needed re-equipment and modernization'.

Imports of Knitted Garments from Hong Kong

Asked what representations he had received from the Scottish Hosiery and Knitwear Manufacturers' Association about the increased import of knitted garments from Hong Kong; and what reply he had made, the President said:

'The Association has drawn my attention to the increasing volume of knitwear which is being imported into this country from Hong Kong and has asked for restrictions to be imposed.

'I am telling them that I can hold out no hope of any such action being taken.'

Wednesday July 18

Imports and Exports of Woven Wire Products

Details of United Kingdom imports and exports of woven wire products were given in columns 73/4 of *Hansard* of July 18, in response to a Parliamentary Question.

Thursday July 19

Local Employment Act

The President was asked what additional employment had arisen from new industrial building, approved in the first two years of the operation of the Local Employment Act, in England, Wales and Scotland, respectively; what these figures represented as a percentage of the total additional employment; and how these percentages compared with the respective percentage proportions of the total unemployment, taking the average monthly figure from April 1960 to March 1962. In reply the President said that Industrial Development certificates issued in the first two years of the Local Employment Act were estimated by the firms concerned to give rise to an additional employment in Great Britain of 217,000. 173,000, or 80 per cent. of the total were in England; 18,000 or 8 per cent. in Wales and 26,000 or 12 per cent. in Scotland. Of the total average unemployed of 352,000 over the same period, England's percentage was 72·4, Wales's 7·2 and Scotland's 20·4.

Monday July 23

Industrial Development

Asked whether he would state, for the 12 months ended March 31, 1962, in respect of development districts in the counties of Northumberland, Durham and the North Riding of Yorkshire, the number of factories provided for rent or sale giving the area cost and estimated employment, the number of building grants giving the amount, the average grant in relation to the estimated cost and the estimated employment, the figure of capital outlay per job created by the assistance given under the Local Employment Act, and the number of industrial development certificates applied for and granted, giving the area and estimated additional employment.

Replying, Mr. David Price, Parliamentary Secretary, Board of Trade, said that approval was given in the period for the building of 14 factories or extensions by the Board of Trade with a total area of nearly 363,000 sq. ft., at an estimated cost of over £1,220,000 to provide 3,200 jobs; five building grants averaging 13·2 per cent. of total building costs were offered to provide 160 jobs. The capital outlay per job created by assistance under Sections 2, 3 and 4 of the Local Employment Act was £450. Industrial Development Certificates were issued for 41 projects with a total area of just under 1·2 million sq. ft. and an estimated employment of nearly 5,000.

Instruction Books in Foreign Languages

The President was asked if, in the interests of the export trade, he would advise motor car manufacturers on the desirability of printing instruction books and other documents in the languages of the countries in which they sell and service their products. In reply, the President said that this was a matter which had come up in discussion with the industry. He was sure that manufacturers were conscious of the desirability of the practice and it was already widely followed.

Assistance under Local Employment Act

The President was asked how many applications for assistance under the Local Employment Act, 1960, had now been granted, rejected or were under consideration in England, Wales and Scotland, respectively; what were the total amounts of money involved in each country; and what was the number of people provided with work in each country as a result. In reply he provided the following information:

Applications for Financial Assistance

	Offers of Assistance	*Applications Unsuccessful*	*Under Consideration or Awaiting Information*
England	111	124	29
Wales	25	51	4
Scotland	118	125	38

Assistance Offered, Excluding Offers Declined

	No. of Projects	*Amount (£'000)*	*Estimated Additional Employment*
England	89	14,665	35,700
Wales	23	2 741	6,900
Scotland	103	28,352	26,300

Wednesday July 25

GATT and EFTA Tariff Changes

The President was asked when the full results of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade tariff conference would be published; and when it was proposed to make changes in the British customs tariff resulting from this conference and from the recent decision regarding duties on imports from European Free Trade Association countries.

The President replied: 'A White Paper summarizing the results of the tariff conference will be laid before the House. Copies of the tariff schedules setting out the new maximum tariff rates negotiated at the conference are due to be published in Geneva on August 13 and will be placed in the Library.

'The necessary changes in the British Customs Tariff will be brought into effect on October 31 at the same time as the further reduction in the duties applied to goods of the European Free Trade Association countries which was agreed at the meeting of the EFTA Ministerial Council in Copenhagen on June 22. A Statutory Order providing for these changes will be laid before the House in due course.'

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Questions in Parliament (*Continued*)

Thursday July 26

Circulation of BOT Journal

Asked to what extent the circulation of the *Board of Trade Journal* had increased since the improvements were introduced, the President replied: 'Despite the improvements which have been made, I am sorry to say that the circulation of the *Journal* has in the past year slightly fallen.'

Request for Export Magazine

The President was asked if he would publish a British trade magazine like the publication issued by the Italian Foreign Trade Ministry especially catering for the export trade.

He replied that this matter had been carefully considered on several occasions and he had consulted his Export Publicity Council. The conclusion had always been that taking into account the great range and complexity of British exports, better results were achieved by the present method of distribution of material to the overseas press through the official information services.

Export of Bingo Tickets

The President was asked what assistance had been given to a firm who recently exported 12 cases of bingo tickets to Singapore; and what contribution this deal, described by the *Board of Trade Journal* as a recent export achievement, made to Britain's balance of payments problem.

In reply the President said that the company concerned used Government services to exporters from time to time, but did not call upon them in this instance. All exports, large and small, contributed to our overseas earnings; he could not isolate the contribution made by an individual transaction.

Inquiry into Monopolies and Restrictive Practices

Asked what progress had been made by the departmental committee inquiring into the question of monopolies and restrictive practices; when this inquiry was due to be completed; and how soon be expected to be able to make a statement of policy as a result of its findings, the President said: 'My Department are making good progress with the review of policy and legislation on these subjects. A number of statements have been received as a result of the invitation of February 20, and these are being thoroughly studied. The review also includes mergers in all their aspects, and a study of practices in comparable trading countries.

'I am watching closely the progress of this review but I do not think it will be possible to complete it before the end of the year.'

Policy on Coal Imports

In reply to questions, the President said that the Government had decided to maintain for the time being the policy of not allowing imports of coal from non-sterling sources.

Cinematograph Films Levy

The President was asked if he had reached a decision on the proposed increase in the relief accorded to smaller cinema exhibitors in respect of their liability to contribute to the Cinematograph Films Levy.

He replied: 'Yes, Sir. I have accepted the recommendation made to me by the Cinematograph Films Council to raise the limit of exemption so that exhibitors' liability to pay the Levy will commence when their box office takings in any week exceed £300 as compared with the current limit of £250. I will bring the necessary amending Regulations before the House at the first practicable opportunity, which I expect to be in November.'

Further Advance Factories

The answer to a question on advance factories is given on page 253.

Tuesday July 31

Changes in Commonwealth Preferences

The President was asked, by what percentage the overall values of the preferences given by Canada, Australia and New Zealand separately on imports of goods from Britain had been reduced since 1932; and by what percentage the United Kingdom had made reductions in preferences given to Dominion produce marketed here.

The Minister of State replied that there were no figures available which would enable him to give a precise answer to the question. He would however circulate in the Official report the information given below which he hoped would be helpful.

The following information, compiled from unofficial sources, shows the changes in the average margin of preference and in the percentage of imports from Britain enjoying preference, between 1937 and 1948.

	1937	
	Average margin of preference on goods enjoying preference	% of imports from Britain enjoying preference
Canada	23	88
Australia	22	88-91
N. Zealand	26	88-90

	1948	
	Average margin of preference on goods enjoying preference	% of imports from Britain enjoying preference
Canada	12-13	85-87
Australia	15-16	88-91
N. Zealand	18	90-91

Since 1948 both the average margin of preference and the percentage of goods enjoying preference have fallen, but no specific figures were available.

So far as imports into Britain were concerned, it was estimated that in 1937 the average margin of preference on imports from the Commonwealth preference area was between 17 and 20 per cent. and that the proportion of imports enjoying preference was about 60 per cent. In 1957 the figures were 9 per cent. and 47 per cent. respectively.

Empire Cotton Growing Corporation

In reply to a question about the recent transfer to the Department of Technical Co-operation of responsibility for the Empire Cotton Growing Corporation, the Minister of State said:

'Since the prime function of the Corporation, which operates in a number of territories overseas, is research directed to the improvement of cotton growing, Departmental responsibility for the Corporation's activities may more appropriately be exercised by the Department of Technical Co-operation and has been accordingly transferred to that Department. The Corporation's By Laws and the Deed relating to the capital grant of the Corporation were recently amended to give formal recognition to the change in responsibilities. The Board of Trade, however, still retain an interest in the Corporation's affairs and continue to be represented on its governing bodies.'

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Registrations of British and Foreign Films

THE FOLLOWING are details of films registered by the Board of Trade under the Films Act, 1960, during the week ended **Friday**, July 27, 1962.

Title of Film	Registered in the Name of	Maker's Name	Registered No.	Playing Time (minutes)	Date of Registration
		BRITISH			
Der Rosenkavalier	Rank Film Distributors Ltd.	The Rank Organisation Film Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27648	190	July 23
Look at Life Series 14: *Meet the Mayor*	" "	Rank Film Distributors Ltd.	Br/E 27649	9	July 23
Pig Tales	Anglo Amalgamated Film Distributors Ltd.	Ledeck Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27650	25	July 23
The Traitors	Rank Film Distributors Ltd.	Ello Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27651	69	July 23
A Penny for Your Thoughts	" "	Film House Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27652	24	July 23
Highway Holiday	United Artists Corporation Ltd.	Hammer Film Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27668	19	July 25
The Lion	Twentieth Century-Fox Film Co. Ltd.	Twentieth Century-Fox Productions Ltd.	Br/E 27669	96	July 25
Pathe Pictorial Series 391-403: *Pathe Pictorial No. 398*	Warner-Pathe Distributors Ltd.	Associated British Pathe Ltd.	Br/E 27670	8	July 26
Pathe News 62-59	" "	" "	Br/E 27475	7	July 26
Pathe News 62-60	" "	" "	Br/E 27476	7	July 26
Movietone News 1728A	Twentieth Century-Fox Film Co. Ltd.	British Movietonews Ltd.	Br/E 27526	7	July 26
Movietone News 1729	" "	" "	Br/E 27527	7	July 26
Cruiser Electronic	Miracle Films Ltd.	Searchlight Films L d.	Br/E 27671	28	July 27
Haunted England	Columbia Pictures Corporation Ltd.	Scimitar Films Ltd.	Br/E 27673	24	July 27
		FOREIGN			
Le Baron De L'Ecluse	Gala Film Distributors Ltd.	Film Sonor S.A.	F 27647	94	July 23
Case of the Red-Eyed Ruby	Rank Film Distributors Ltd.	Universal-International Pictures Co. Inc.	F 27653	6	July 24
Tin Can Concert	" "	" "	F 27654	6	July 24
Woody's Kook Out	" "	" "	F 27655	6	July 24
Land of the Long White Cloud	" "	" "	F 27656	17	July 24
Leaping Dandies	" "	" "	F 27657	10	July 24
Bahamas Holiday	" "	" "	F 27658	9	July 24
Tricky Trout	" "	" "	F 27659	6	July 24
Busman's Holiday	" "	" "	F 27660	6	July 24
Phantom of the Horse Opera	" "	" "	F 27661	6	July 24
Pink Sand and Blue Water	" "	" "	F 27662	10	July 24
Treasures of the Deep	" "	" "	F 27663	9	July 24
Mabuhay	" "	" "	F 27664	9	July 24
Caramba	" "	" "	F 27665	9	July 24
Bon Voyage	Walt Disney Productions Ltd.	Walt Disney Productions Inc.	F 27666	132	July 24
Disneyland After Dark	" "	" "	F 27667	46	July 24
Incident at Owl Creek	Miracle Films Ltd.	Films Du Centaure Paul De Roubaix and Filmartic Marcelichae.	F 27672	27	July 27
Swash Buckled	Columbia Pictures Corporation Ltd.	Columbia Pictures Corporation	F 27674	7	July 27
Bungle Uncle	" "	" "	F 27675	7	July 27

Where the title appears in italics the film forms parts of a series.
Br/E indicates that the film is a British quota film.

British-Built Trucks for Malaya

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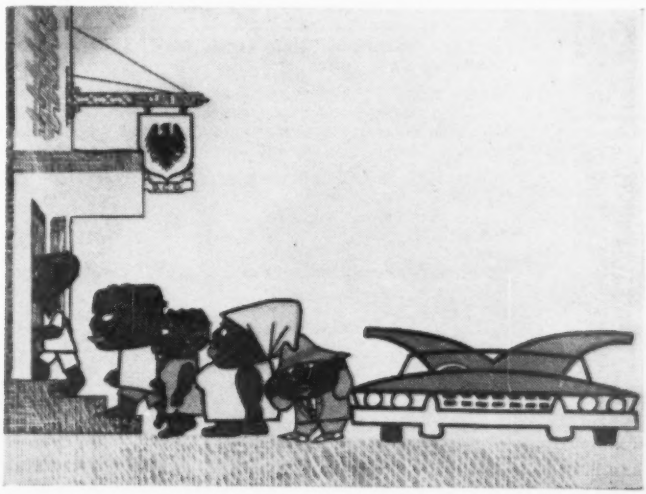
Bank Wins Film Prizes



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	The above sale will include electric motors, radio and electrical spares, transformers, rectifiers, M.T. spares, aircraft instruments, accumulators, radio receivers, binoculars, compasses, stop watches, paint, wooden radar huts, etc.		
Sept. 11	Freehold land (approx. 777 acres) with 13 large hangars, nine houses, various office, farm and storage buildings and petrol and oil installations *in situ*, also a small holding. Possible planning permission for 30 acres for a holiday camp and 17 acres for residential development.	Royal Air Force Station, Silloth	Harrison & Hetherington Ltd., Botchergate, Carlisle. (Tel.: Carlisle 26292/3.) Catalogues free.
Sept. 13	Miscellaneous stores and equipment	No. 35 Maintenance Unit, Royal Air Force, Heywood, Lancs.	Brady & Son, 17 Warren Street, Stockport, Cheshire. (Tel.: Stockport 2252.) Catalogues 1s. 0d. each. *Postal Orders only.*
Sept. 27	Miscellaneous stores and equipment	No. 25 Maintenance Unit, Royal Air Force, Hartlebury, Worcs.	Nock & Joseland, Bank Buildings, Kidderminster, Worcester. (Tel.: Kidderminster 2053.) Catalogues 1s. 0d. each. *Postal Orders only.*
Oct. 3	Miscellaneous stores and equipment	No. 16 Maintenance Unit, Royal Air Force, Stafford.	South & Stubs, Eastgate Street, Stafford. (Tel.: Stafford 2331.) Catalogues 1s. 0d. each. *Postal Orders only.*
Oct. 17	Miscellaneous stores and equipment	No. 7 Maintenance Unit, Royal Air Force, Quedgeley, Glos.	Bruton Knowles & Co., Albion Chambers King's Street, Gloucester.

Catalogues for the above sales may be obtained within fourteen days of the advertised date of sale, on application to the auctioneers.

War Office

1962	Stores	Location	Auctioneers
Aug. 16	Electrical equipment, plant and miscellaneous stores including:	Technical Stores Sub-Depot, Wem, Salop	Hall, Wateridge & Owen (Dept. L), High Street, Shrewsbury. (Tel.: 2081.)
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Aug. 21-24	Machine tools and miscellaneous stores	War Dept. Storage Depot, Royal Arsenal, Woolwich, S.E.18.	Fuller, Horsey, Sons & Cassell (Dept. L), 10 Lloyd's Avenue, London, E.C.3. (Tel.: Royal 4861.)
Aug. 28-29	Miscellaneous stores	Central Ordnance Depot, Didcot, Berks.	Simmons & Sons (Dept. L), 12 Station Road, Reading. (Tel.: 54025.)
Sept. 6	Vehicles and miscellaneous stores	W.D. Storage Depot, Bowhouse, Hurlford, Nr. Kilmarnock, Ayrshire.	Dixon & Wallace Ltd. (Dept. L), Bank Buildings, Graham Square, Glasgow, E.1. (Tel.: Bridgeton 2447.)
Sept. 11	Machine tools and miscellaneous stores	W.D. Storage Depot, South West Stores, Euxton Lane, Chorley, Lancs. (*Sale at Cheetham Town Hall, Manchester*, 8.)	J. H. Norris & Son (Dept. L), 9 Albert Square, Manchester, 2. (Tel.: Blackfriars 8373.)

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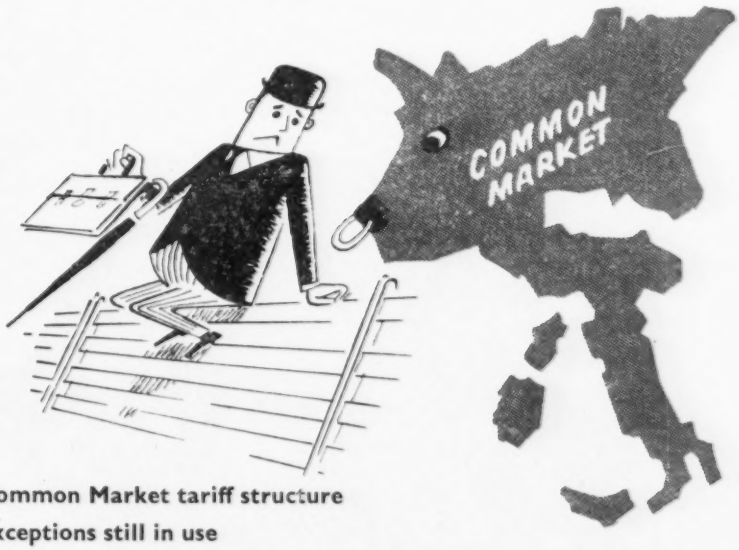

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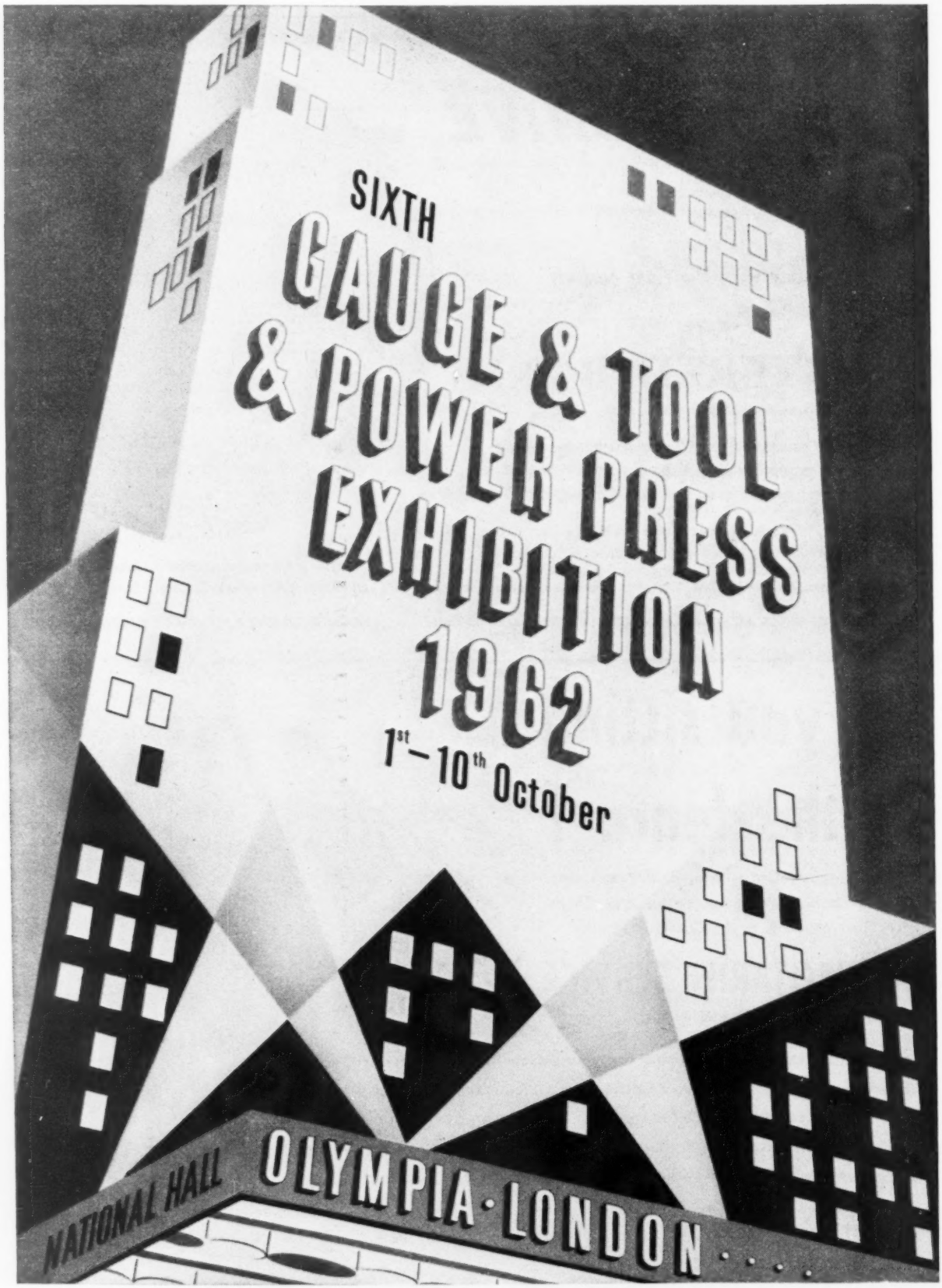

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Trade Fairs and Exhibitions at Home and Overseas

Changes in Trade Fairs and Exhibitions Announcements

BECAUSE of pressure on space all the various classified lists of trade fairs and exhibitions will be published in full only on the dates indicated below:

	Date Last Published	Date Next Published
United Kingdom	This issue	Nov. 2
Outside Europe	July 6	Oct. 5
Europe	June 1	Sept. 7

Amendments and additions to the three lists will be shown in the issues of the intervening weeks.

No responsibility is taken for the standing of organizations or individuals mentioned in the lists, and dates, etc., may be subject to alteration.

The Board of Trade Export Publicity and Fairs Branch, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1 (Telephone: Trafalgar 8855, Extension 3096 Europe; 3097 United Kingdom and outside Europe) will be glad to answer general inquiries but application should be made to the organizers or United Kingdom agents for details of costs and conditions of participation. Export Publicity and Fairs Branch can also provide information about other events, which, owing to space limitation, are not included in the lists.

* indicates fair which is held annually at approximately the time stated.

† indicates fair which is held in alternate years at approximately the time stated.

Amendments and Additions to Classified Lists of Trade Fairs and Exhibitions

THE FAIRS and exhibitions given below are amendments and additions to the full lists published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on July 6, and June 1, respectively.

OUTSIDE EUROPE

Additions :

NEW YORK: HIGH FIDELITY AND MUSIC SHOW – October 1-7, 1962.
* Apply, Institute of High Fidelity Manufacturers Inc., 125 East 23rd Street, New York 10, New York.

NEW YORK: NATIONAL HOTEL EXPOSITION – November 12-16, 1962.
* At the Coliseum. Apply, Mr. W. K. Seeley, General Manager, National Hotel Exposition, 141 West 51st Street, New York City.

EUROPE

Amendment :

We have been informed that the International Plastic Fair (KUNSTOFFE) will be held at Dusseldorf from October 12-20, 1963, and not October 19-27, 1963, as previously shown in the issue dated March 31, 1961.

Addition :

PARIS: 4TH INTERNATIONAL BUILDING EXHIBITION (BATIMAT) – April 18-28, 1963.
† Apply, International Building Exhibition (EXPOMAT), 1 Avenue Niel, Paris 17.

BRNO 4th International Trade Fair, 1962

THE FOURTH INTERNATIONAL Trade Fair at Brno, Czechoslovakia, will be held from September 9 to 23, 1962. The main emphasis will be laid on specialized groups of metal-working, cutting and forming machines; equipment for the chemical industry; transport equipment, and machines and equipment for agriculture and the building industry.

The fair will be organized in twelve specialized trade groups: machine tools, mining equipment, equipment for the chemical industry, machines and equipment for the textile, leather and rubber industries, machines and equipment for offices, pumps, compressors, transmission systems and diesel engines, heavy electrical engineering, light electrical engineering, control equipment and measuring instruments, nucleonics, medical and laboratory equipment, transport and building equipment, tractors and agricultural machines and equipment. raw materials and semi-manufacture materials.

In 1961 there were 514 foreign exhibitors from 35 countries of whom 30 came from Britain. The fair was visited by over a million people of whom 25,581 came from 71 foreign countries.

An official information stand will be organized by the Board of Trade in the Pavilion of Nations.

Further details can be obtained from the British agent of the Brno Fair, Fairs & Exhibitions Ltd., Walmar House, 288 Regent Street, London, W.1. (Telephone: Museum 5153/5.)

British Industrial Products on Show in Rumania

THE BOARD OF TRADE are participating in the First British Industrial Exhibition in Rumania, to be held in Bucharest from October 14-26. The Board will install an official Information Stand occupying about 600 square feet. Altogether 25,000 square feet of exhibition space has been booked by a number of British manufacturers.

The exhibits will include textile machinery, laundry machinery, mining equipment, printing machinery, agricultural equipment, motor vehicles, paper and pulp manufacturing equipment, cigarette making and packaging machinery, plant and equipment for the chemical industries, stainless and heat resisting steels, bottle filling and capping machines, dry cleaning machinery, and plant for chemical, iron and other industries.

The exhibition is sponsored by the Rumanian section of the London Chamber of Commerce and by the Rumanian Chamber of Commerce in Bucharest. The organizers are Fairs and Exhibitions Ltd., Walmar House, 288 Regent Street, London, W.1. (Telephone: Museum 5153/5.)

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Trade Fairs and Exhibitions in the United Kingdom

1962 — General

BRIGHTON: 16TH SUSSEX INDUSTRIES EXHIBITION – September 10-15.
* At the Corn Exchange. Apply, Mrs. N. Potter, M.B.E., Federation of Sussex Industries Ltd., Seven Dials Corner, Brighton 1, Sussex. (Tel.: Brighton 26189.)

BUXTON: PURCHASING OFFICERS' ASSOCIATION ANNUAL CONFERENCE AND MINIBITION – September 27-29.
* Apply, Purchasing Officers' Association, Wardrobe Court, 146A Queen Victoria Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: City 3841/3.)

1962 — Specialized

Advertising

LONDON: NATIONAL ADVERTISING EXHIBITION – September 10-15.
At Olympia. Apply, Adex Ltd., Advertising Exhibition Promotions, 9-10 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Central 4040.)

Agriculture and Dairy Industry

LONDON: 76TH ANNUAL ROYAL DAIRY SHOW – October 23-26.
* At Olympia. Apply, Royal Association of British Dairy Farmers, 17 Devonshire Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 6903/4.)

LONDON: THE ROYAL SMITHFIELD AND AGRICULTURAL MACHINERY SHOW – December 3-7.
* At Earls Court. Apply, Smithfield Show Joint Committee, S.M.M.T., Forbes House, Halkin Street, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Belgravia 6611.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL POULTRY SHOW – December 5-7.
* At National Hall, Olympia. Apply, National Poultry Show, Dorset House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.1. (Tel.: Waterloo 3333.)

Antiques

HARROGATE: 12TH NORTHERN ANTIQUE DEALERS' FAIR – September 13-20.
* At the Royal Hall. Apply, Northern Antique Dealers' Fair Ltd., 408 Leeds Road, Bradford 3

Aviation

FARNBOROUGH: 23RD FLYING DISPLAY AND EXHIBITION – September 3-9.
* At Royal Aircraft Establishment. Apply, The Society of British Aircraft Constructors Ltd., 29 King Street, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Trafalgar 3231.)

Building and Public Works

MANCHESTER: BUILDING TRADES EXHIBITION – October 9-20.
† At City Hall, Manchester. Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

LONDON: THE PUBLIC WORKS AND MUNICIPAL SERVICES EXHIBITION – November 12-17.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Municipal Agency Limited, 3/4 Clement's Inn, Strand, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Holborn 6817-6819.)

Caravans

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL CARAVAN EXHIBITION – November 28-December 4.
* At Olympia. Apply, Exhibition Organizer, The Daily Mail, Bouverie Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 5000.)

Engineering, Machinery, Machine Tools

LONDON: 6TH GAUGE AND TOOL AND POWER PRESS EXHIBITION – October 1-10.
At Olympia. Apply, The Gauge and Tool Makers' Association, Standbrook House, 2/5, Old Bond Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Hyde Park 3451/2.)

LONDON: 15TH ENGINEERING EXHIBITION – October 16-18.
* At Royal Horticultural Society's New Hall, London, S.W.1. Apply, Engineering Industries Association (London Region), 9 Seymour Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Welbeck 2241.)

LONDON: 4TH CORROSION AND METAL FINISHING EXHIBITION – November 27-30.
At Olympia. Apply, Technology Publications Ltd., Leonard Hill Technical Group, The Tower, Brook Green Road, Hammersmith, London, W.6. (Tel.: Riverside 3071.)

Factory Equipment

MANCHESTER: INTERNATIONAL FACTORY EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION – September 19-28.
* At Belle Vue. Apply, Industrial and Trade Fairs Ltd., Commonwealth House, 1-19 New Oxford Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

Foodstuffs, Hotel, Catering

LONDON: 7TH BRITISH FOOD FAIR – August 28-September 12.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Food Manufacturers Federation, 1962 British Food Fair, 10 Mount Row, London, W.1. (Tel.: Hyde Park 2933.)

BLACKPOOL: THE NORTHERN CLUB TRADE FAIR – September 10-15.
* At Norbreck Hydro. Apply, U.T.P. Exhibitions Ltd., 3 Racquet Court, Fleet Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 3172-2985.)

Handicrafts, Hobbies

LONDON: 10TH INTERNATIONAL HANDICRAFTS AND DO-IT-YOURSELF EXHIBITION – September 7-22.
* At National Hall, Olympia. Apply, A. J. Kreps, Esq., Link House Publications Ltd., Store Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Museum 9792.)

MANCHESTER: DO-IT-YOURSELF AND HOBBIES EXHIBITION – November 6-17.
* Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

Heating

MANCHESTER: HEATING, VENTILATING AND FUEL EFFICIENCY EXHIBITION – September 11-20.
At City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

MANCHESTER: 2ND DOMESTIC HEATING AND INSULATION-IN-THE-HOME EXHIBITION – September 25-28.
* At Free Trade Hall. Apply, Clarke and Rhodes Ltd., 274-278 The Corn Exchange, Manchester 4. (Tel.: Deansgate 6541/2.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL HEATING, VENTILATING AND AIR CONDITIONING EXHIBITION – September 26-October 5.
† At Olympia. Apply, Industrial Exhibitions Ltd., 9 Argyll Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Gerrard 1622.)

Hospital and Medical

LONDON: MEDICAL EXHIBITION – November 12-16.
* At Royal Horticultural Society's New Hall, Westminster, S.W.1. Apply, Exhibition Organizer, British and Colonist Druggists Ltd., 194/200 Bishopsgate, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Avenue 1444.)

Leather, Leather Goods and Footwear

LONDON: 'FASHION IN FOOTWEAR' EXHIBITION – September 30-October 4.
* At Washington Hotel, Curzon Street, London, W.1. Apply, Exhibition Department, 'Footwear', National Trade Press Ltd., Drury House, Russell Street, Drury Lane, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Temple Bar 3422.)

LONDON: 'SPRING SHOES' EXHIBITION – October 1-4.
* At Mount Royal Hotel, Marble Arch, W.1. Apply, British Footwear Manufacturers Federation, 22 Gilbert Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Mayfair 2843.)

Office Equipment and Business Efficiency

LONDON: 50TH BUSINESS EFFICIENCY EXHIBITION – October 1-10.
* At Grand Hall, Olympia. Apply, Business Equipment Trade Association, 64 Cannon Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Central 7771/2.)

Packaging

LONDON: THE FOOD PACKAGING EXHIBITION – October 16-19.
† At Alexandra Palace, N.22. Apply, B.P.S. Exhibitions Ltd., 6 London Street, Paddington, London, W.2. (Tel.: Paddington 6672-3.)

Photography

NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE: INTERNATIONAL EXHIBITION OF PHOTOGRAPHY – October 13-November 3.
† At Laing Municipal Art Gallery. Apply, Lt.-Col. C. Townsend, E.R.D., T.D., 19 Tynedale Terrace, Newcastle-upon-Tyne 12.

Radio and Television

LONDON: 29TH NATIONAL RADIO AND TELEVISION EXHIBITION – August 22-September 1.
* At Earls Court. Apply, Radio Industry Exhibitions Ltd., 59 Russell Square, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Museum 6901.)

Textiles, Clothing and Accessories

LONDON: 11TH BRITISH WHOLESALE FASHION SHOWINGS "LONDON PRESENTS". October/November.
* At various showrooms in London and provinces. Apply, A. T. Elvy, Esq., Apparel and Fashion Industry's Association, 92 New Cavendish Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 3353 and Museum 1260.)

Trade Fairs and Exhibitions in U.K. (*Continued*)

LONDON: 21ST JUNIOR FASHION FAIR – October 29-November 1.
* At Royal Horticultural Society's Old Hall, Vincent Square, S.W.1. Apply, National Children's Wear Association, Evelyn House, 40/42 Oxford Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Museum 1833.)

LONDON: 7TH PRESENTATION OF CHILDREN'S AND TEENAGE FASHIONS – October 29-November 1.
* Apply, The Secretary, Teenage, Infants' and Girls' Fashion Fair Organisation, 92 New Cavendish Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 3353.)

HARROGATE: KNITTING WOOL TRADE FAIR – August 27-30.
* At Exhibition Hall. Apply, British-Continental Trade Press Ltd., 222 Strand, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Fleet Street 1253/4.)

HARROGATE: N.A.O. CONVENTION (MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR EXHIBITION) – September 25-27.
* Apply, National Association of Outfitters, 21 Cavendish Place, Cavendish Square, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 2918.)

Transport

LONDON: 21ST INTERNATIONAL COMMERCIAL MOTOR TRANSPORT EXHIBITION – September 21-29.
† At Earls Court. Apply, Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders Ltd., Forbes House, Halkin Street, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Belgravia 6611.)

LONDON: 47TH INTERNATIONAL MOTOR EXHIBITION – October 17-27.
* At Earls Court. Apply, Society of Motor Manufacturers and Traders Ltd., Forbes House, Halkin Street, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Belgravia 6611.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL CYCLE AND MOTOR CYCLE SHOW – November 10-17.
† At Earls Court. Apply, The British Cycle and Motor Cycle Industries Association Ltd., Starley House, Eaton Road, Coventry.

Watch and Jewellery

LONDON: 8TH INTERNATIONAL WATCH AND JEWELLERY TRADE FAIR – September 24-27 at Washington Hotel, Curzon Street, W.1.
* Apply, Trade Fairs and Promotions Ltd., Commonwealth House, 1-19, New Oxford Street, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

Miscellaneous

LONDON: NATIONAL EXHIBITION OF CAGE BIRDS – December 6-8.
* At Olympia. Apply, The Exhibition Organizer, 'Cage Birds', Dorset House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.1. (Tel.: Waterloo 3333.)

1963 — General

LONDON: 40TH "DAILY MAIL" IDEAL HOME EXHIBITION – March 5-30.
* Apply, Associated Newspapers Ltd., 12-15 Bouverie Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 6000.)

MANCHESTER: "EVENING CHRONICLE" BRIGHTER HOMES EXHIBITION – March 12-30.
* At City Hall. Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

1963 — Specialized

Agriculture, Dairy Industry and Fishing

GLASGOW: SCOTTISH DAIRY SHOW AND NATIONAL HORSE SHOW – February 12-16.
* At the Kelvin Hall. Apply, The Secretary, Glasgow Agricultural Society, 82 Gordon Street, Glasgow C.1.

LONDON: WORLD FISHING EXHIBITION – May 27-31.
At Earls Court, London. Apply, Commercial Exhibitions Ltd., St. Richard's House, Eversholt Street, London, N.W.1. (Tel.: Euston 7293).

TAUNTON: BATH AND WEST AGRICULTURAL SHOW – May 29-June 1.
* Apply, The Secretary, Bath and West and Southern Counties Society, 3 Pierreport Street, Bath.

MALVERN: THREE COUNTIES AGRICULTURAL SHOW – June 11-13.
* Apply, Glynne Hastings, Esq., Three Counties Showyard, Malvern, Worcestershire.

Amusements

LONDON: AMUSEMENT TRADES EXHIBITION – January 29-31.
* At New Royal Horticultural Hall, S.W.1. Apply, Amusement Trades Exhibition Ltd., 19 Charing Cross Road, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 2524)

Antiques

LONDON: THE ANTIQUE DEALERS' FAIR AND EXHIBITION – June 12-27.
* At Grosvenor House, Park Lane, W.1. Apply, Captain C. S. Platts, A.C.I.S., Grosvenor House, Park Lane, London, W.1. (Tel.: Grosvenor 6363.)

Boats

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW – January 2-12.
* At Earls Court. Apply, The Ship and Boat Builders' National Federation, 44 Great Queen Street, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Holborn 7481.)

BIRMINGHAM: BOAT SHOW – January 30-February 9.
* At Bingley Hall. Apply, Mr. B. M. Ellwood, Birmingham Boat Shows Ltd., 49 Broad Road, Acocks Green, Birmingham 27.

MANCHESTER: NORTHERN BOAT, CARAVAN AND CAMPING EXHIBITION – March 1-9.
* At Belle Vue. Apply, L. W. Redhead Esq., Pall Mall Exhibitions Ltd., Spencer House, South Place, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Metropolitan 9519.)

Building and Public Works

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION AND CONFERENCE – June 25-July 5.
† At Crystal Palace. Apply, Industrial and Trade Fairs Ltd., Commonwealth House, 1-19 New Oxford Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

LONDON: THE BUILDING EXHIBITION – November 13-27.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Building Trades Exhibition Ltd., 11 Manchester Square, London, W.1. (Tel.: Hunter 1951.)

Chemicals

LONDON: FIFTEENTH TECHNICAL EXHIBITION OF OIL AND COLOUR CHEMISTS ASSOCIATION – March 11-14.
* At the Royal Horticultural Society's Old and New Halls, London, S.W.1. Apply, Mr. R. H. Hamblin, General Secretary, Oil and Colour Chemists Association, Wax Chandlers Hall, Gresham Street, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Monarch 1439.)

Confectionery

LONDON: SIXTH NATIONAL CONFECTIONERY TRADE EXHIBITION – January 15-18.
* Apply: Mr. V. Press, National Union of Retail Confectioners, Ashley House, 53 Christchurch Avenue, London, N.12. (Tel.: Hillside 6344/5.)

Display

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL DISPLAY MARKET WEEK, 1963 – February 25-28. At Hotel Russell, Russell Square, London, W.C.1. Apply, National Display Equipment Association, 2 Caxton Street, London, S.W.1. Tel.: Abbey 4813.)

Electrical, including Electronics

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL AUDIO FESTIVAL AND FAIR – April 18-21.
* At Hotel Russell, London, W.1. Apply, C. Rex Hassan and Associates, 42 Manchester Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Hunter 2080.)

Engineering, Machinery, Machine Tools

LONDON: THE DAIRY ENGINEERING EXHIBITION – April 1-5.
At Earls Court. Apply, The Trades' Markets and Exhibitions Ltd., 623/4 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 1371.)

LONDON: THE LONDON INTERNATIONAL ENGINEERING EXHIBITION (FORMERLY ENGINEERING, MARINE, WELDING AND NUCLEAR ENERGY EXHIBITION) – April 23-May 2.
At Olympia and Earls Court. Apply, F. W. Bridges and Sons Ltd., Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 0568) and Industrial and Trade Fairs Ltd., Commonwealth House, New Oxford Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

LONDON: AUTOMATIC VENDING EXHIBITION – May 13-17.
At Earls Court. Apply, Trades Exhibitions Ltd., Exhibition House, Spring Street, London, W.2. (Tel.: Ambassador 5421/2.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL PLANT ENGINEERING AND MAINTENANCE CONFERENCE AND EXHIBITION, AND INDUSTRIAL PROCESS HEATING SYMPOSIUM AND EXHIBITION – June 17-21.
† At Alexandra Palace, London, N.22. Apply, C. H. L. Venn, Esq., Maintenance Publishing Ltd., Mercury House, 103-119 Waterloo Road, London, S.E.1. (Tel.: Waterloo 3388.)

LONDON: 11TH INTERNATIONAL PRINTING MACHINERY AND ALLIED TRADES EXHIBITION – July 16-27.
At Olympia and Earls Court. Apply, F. W. Bridges and Sons Ltd., 'Ipex,' Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 0568.)

LONDON: 3RD ENGINEERING MATERIALS AND DESIGN EXHIBITION – November 11-16.
* At Earls Court, London. Apply, Industrial and Trade Fairs Ltd., Commonwealth House, 1-19, New Oxford Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

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Trade Fairs and Exhibitions in U.K. (*Continued*)

Foodstuffs, Hotel, Catering

BIRMINGHAM: HOTELIERS, CATERERS AND CATERING EQUIPMENT EXHIBITION – February 20-March 1.
† At Bingley Hall. Apply, W. G. Appleyard, Esq., 71 Broad Street, Birmingham 15.

LONDON: FOURTH DELICATESSEN EXHIBITION – February 25-March 1.
* At Royal Horticultural Society's Old and New Halls, Vincent Square, S.W.1. Apply, Contemporary Exhibitions Ltd., Walmar House, 288 Regent Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Museum 5153/5.)

LONDON: THE LICENSED VICTUALLERS' TRADE FAIR – March 11-15.
At Earls Court, London. Apply, Contemporary Exhibitions Ltd., Walmar House, 288 Regent Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Museum 5153/5.)

LONDON: 3RD INTERNATIONAL REFRIGERATION, AIR CONDITIONING AND FROZEN FOODS EXHIBITION – April 2-5.
At Earls Court. Apply, Technical Productions (London) Ltd., 11a Gloucester Road, London, S.W.7. (Tel.: Knightsbridge 2945.)

MANCHESTER: 'MANCHESTER EVENING NEWS' FOOD COOKERY AND CATERING EXHIBITION – September 11-21.
† At City Hall, Deansgate. Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL BAKERS AND CONFECTIONERS' EXHIBITION – September 28-October 3.
At Olympia. Apply, The Trades' Markets and Exhibitions Ltd., 623 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 1371.)

Furniture

LONDON: THE FURNITURE SHOW – January 28-February 9.
* At Earls Court. Apply, B.F.M. Exhibitions Ltd., 17 Berners Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 5115.)

Gifts, Fancy Goods, Toys

HARROGATE: INTERNATIONAL TOY FAIR January 12-18.
* Apply, G. Wilkinson, Esq., Harrogate International Toy Fair Ltd., Finsbury Court, Finsbury Pavement, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Monarch 8921.)

BRIGHTON: 10TH BRITISH TOY FAIR – January 27-February 1.
* Apply, British Toy Fairs (International) Ltd., 94 Hatton Garden, London, E.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9158.)

BLACKPOOL: INTERNATIONAL GIFTS FAIR – February 4-8.
* Apply, Trade Promotion Services Limited, Saint Dunstan's House, Carey Lane, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Monarch 8391-5.)

Homes, Household and Hardware

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL HARDWARE TRADES FAIR – February 4-8.
* At Olympia. Apply, Universal Exhibitions Ltd., 74 Holland Park, London, W.11. (Tel.: Park 7360 and 7723.)

Hospital and Medical

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL HOSPITAL EQUIPMENT AND MEDICAL SERVICES EXHIBITION – May 27-31.
† At Olympia. Apply, Contemporary Exhibitions Ltd., Walmar House, 288 Regent Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Museum 5153/5.)

Leather, Leather Goods and Footwear

BLACKPOOL: 5TH SLIPPER FAIR – January 21-24.
* At Imperial Hotel. Apply, L. W. Redhead, Esq., Shoe and Leather News (Exhibitions) Ltd., Spencer House, South Place, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Monarch 0666.)

LONDON: LEATHERGOODS, LUGGAGE AND HANDBAG FAIR – February 11-15.
* At Mount Royal Hotel, London, W.1. Apply, National Leather Goods and Saddlery Manufacturers' Association, 69 Cannon Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: City 4444.)

HARROGATE: "AUTUMN SHOES" EXHIBITION – April 1-4.
* Apply, British Footwear Manufacturers Federation, 22 Gilbert Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Mayfair 2843.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL LEATHER FAIR – May 20-25.
At Alexandra Palace, N.22. Apply, L. W. Redhead, Esq., Shoe and Leather News (Exhibitions) Ltd., Spencer House, South Place, London, E.C.2. (Tel.: Monarch 0666.)

Packaging

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL PACKAGING EXHIBITION – September 4-12.
† At Olympia. Apply, Provincial Exhibitions Ltd., City Hall, Deansgate, Manchester 3. (Tel.: Deansgate 6363.)

Philately

LONDON: THE NATIONAL STAMP EXHIBITION "STAMPEX 1963" – March 15-23.
At Central Hall, Westminster, S.W.1. Apply, The Philatelic Trader's Society Ltd., 2 Clements Inn, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Chancery 3764.)

Photography

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL REPROGRAPHIC AND INDUSTRIAL PHOTOGRAPHIC EXHIBITION – May 13-17.
At Earls Court. Apply, Industrial Exhibitions Ltd., 9 Argyll Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Gerrard 1622.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL PHOTO-CINE FAIR – May 13-18.
† At National Hall, Olympia. Apply, British Organizers Ltd., 52 Grafton Way, London, W.1. (Tel.: Euston 7930.)

Plastics

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL PLASTICS EXHIBITION AND CONVENTION (INTERPLAS) – June 12-22.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Manager, Iliffe Exhibitions Ltd., International Plastics Exhibition 1963, Dorset House, Stamford Street, London, S.E.1. (Tel.: Waterloo 3333.)

Radio and Television

LONDON: 18TH RADIO AND ELECTRONIC COMPONENT SHOW – May 21-24.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Radio and Electronic Component Manufacturers' Federation, 21 Tothill Street, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Abbey 4226.)

Scientific Instruments

LONDON: ANNUAL EXHIBITION OF SCIENTIFIC INSTRUMENTS AND APPARATUS – January 14-17.
* At Royal Horticultural Halls, Westminster, S.W.1. Apply, The Institute of Physics and the Physical Society, 47 Belgrave Square, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Belgravia 6111.)

Sports, Camping

LONDON: 5TH NATIONAL CAMPING AND OUTDOOR LIFE EXHIBITION – January 8-19.
* At Olympia. Apply, Trades Exhibitions Ltd., Exhibition House, Spring Street, London, W.2. (Tel.: Ambassador 5421/3.)

Stationery

LONDON: STATIONERY TRADE FAIR – March 4-8.
* At Alexandra Palace, N.22. Apply, The Stationer's Association of Great Britain and Ireland, 6 Wimpole Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Langham 9256/7.)

Textiles, Clothing and Accessories

BRIGHTON: 10TH SMALLWARES TRADE FAIR – February 25-28.
* At Metropole Hotel. Apply, Trade and Technical Exhibitions Ltd., 1 Dorset Buildings, Salisbury Square, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 1555.)

LONDON: INTERNATIONAL MEN'S AND BOY'S WEAR EXHIBITION – February 25-March 1.
At Earls Court. Apply, Trade Fairs and Promotions Ltd., Commonwealth House, 1/19 New Oxford Street, London, W.C.1. (Tel.: Chancery 9011.)

LONDON: LONDON WEEK – MEN'S AND BOYS' WEAR EXHIBITION – February 25-March 1.
* At Mount Royal Hotel, W.1. Apply, Industrial Exhibitions Ltd., 9 Argyll Street, London, W.1. (Tel.: Gerrard 1622.)

LONDON: MAKERS-UP FABRIC ASSEMBLY – May 13-17.
* At Berners Hotel, Berners Street, W.1. Apply, U.T.P. Exhibitions Ltd., 3 Racquet Court, Fleet Street, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 3172-2985.)

1964 — Specialized

Engineering, Machinery, Machine Tools

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At Olympia. Apply, The Trades' Markets and Exhibitions Ltd., 623 Grand Buildings, Trafalgar Square, London, W.C.2. (Tel.: Whitehall 1371.)

Foodstuffs, Hotel, Catering

LONDON: THE INTERNATIONAL HOTEL AND CATERING EXHIBITION 'HOTELYMPIA' – January 21-30.
† At Olympia. Apply, The Hotel and Catering Exhibition (London) Ltd., Dorset Buildings, Salisbury Square, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: Fleet Street 1555.)

MANCHESTER: NORTH'S FOOD FAIR – 31ST GROCERS' EXHIBITION – April 12-29.
† At Bell Vue. Apply, Grocers and Allied Trade Exhibition, 391-393 Corn Exchange, Manchester, 4.

British Festival in Seattle

A Special Report from the British Consulate General

SEATTLE, the capital of the Pacific Northwest of the United States, 'went British' for a week recently – coinciding with British Week at the Seattle World's Fair – when a British car rally and a wide and colourful range of other promotional events were featured, culminating in the visits of H.R.H. Prince Philip, and H.M. Ambassador to the United States, Sir David Ormsby Gore.

Simultaneously the Frederick & Nelson department store, a division of Marshall Field and Company, staged a promotion week for consumer goods, under the title 'British Festival'. The store is the largest in Seattle, and has a reputation as the source of the largest variety of imported goods in the area.

Coinciding as it did with British Week at the World's Fair, the Festival attracted not only the local clientele, but also visitors to Seattle from all over the United States, Canada, Mexico and overseas.

That 'the British are here' was obvious to all in down-town Seattle, particularly at the terminal of the Monorail which carries a large proportion of the World's Fair visitors; the entire three facades of the Frederick & Nelson store, which fills the adjoining city block, were festooned with Union Jacks flown at second floor level. Undoubtedly the taste with which the twenty-four large display windows were dressed was a major attraction, each of them showing exclusively goods against a kaleidoscope of rich heraldic banners. Throughout the week the display, and in particular the main corner windows, drew large crowds reminiscent of the annual Christmas rush, the public viewing with especial appreciation the combined elegance and strength of a cream-coloured Rolls-Royce supported entirely by four Wedgwood tea-cups, and the regal lustre of the Crown jewels in replica. Pageantry and colour were added by the trumpeters of the Household Cavalry.

A full schedule of automotive sport marked the start of British Week at the Seattle World's Fair. American and Canadian owners of more than 50 British cars participated in a Gymkhana organized by the British Automobile Manufacturers Association, in conjunction with the United Kingdom Consulate General in Seattle. Here, the British cars are arriving at the arena on the Fair grounds.

Having drawn the public to the store, what was there to see which would increase their demand for British goods? There was wearing apparel of every kind from sports-wear to evening clothes. Toy soldiers and silver salvers, records and raincoats, brassware and biscuits, foodstuffs and fancy goods, ties and tea, outboard motors and sleeping bags. Everywhere the public went, in the show cases at each entrance, and flanking each escalator, were displays of goods imported from Britain. Each successive floor carried some

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Utrecht International Autumn Fair

Vredenburg Building

Product Groups
household goods
earthenware, glass-, china-, crystalware
luxury metal and wooden goods, industrial art, religious articles
gold- and silverware, jewellery
timepieces
smokers' requisites
leather goods
baby articles
toys and sports goods
perfumery, cosmetics, toilet articles
gifts, souvenirs, carnival articles
shop fittings, display and advertising material
office supplies

Juliana Hall International Textiles Fair

open from 9 a.m. till 6 p.m.
(closed on Sunday)

Enquiries: Foreign Department Royal Netherlands Industries Fair Vredenburg Utrecht Netherlands

British Festival in Seattle (*Continued*)

particular feature which enticed the public to 'see what's on the next floor', so there was no illusion that the 'British Festival' was restricted to the street windows and main floors only. On the contrary, viewers and buyers passed through the clothing and apparel departments to reach British shoes, and then successively to the Old World Shop featuring Victorian chairs, old silver and other antiques, sports equipment, china and glassware including the Wedgwood shop, the food display and the neighbouring Board of Trade exhibits 'City of London', and 'Britain Past and Present'. Those who lunched at the store on May 31 were able to view the weekly fashion parade where British clothing was modelled.

Apart from the items which always found a ready market in Seattle, such as biscuits, teas, woollens and shoes, the 'British Festival' revealed a demand for English cheeses, Blackpool rock, gloves, ceramics and figurines, hats, silverware, smoked trout, turtle steaks, pheasant roast and haggis. Touches of the unexpected were that Seattle gourmets revealed a developing fancy for port, while Stoke-on-Trent contributed a strictly American porcelain skunk!

Undoubtedly the Festival made it clear that there is a market for consumer goods of all kinds, and that the support of such promotions as this presents a great opportunity for the introduction of new lines and specialities which must be on view to create the demand. Once introduced, the new lines will be looked for by the buying public, and department stores in Seattle must respond to that demand. The annual Import Week, generally held in late August or September, affords further opportunity to display goods from overseas, and manufacturers in Britain can ensure their fair share of trade if they take full advantage of it.

The purchasing office of Frederick & Nelson in London, Marshall Field & Co., 4 New Burlington Street, W.1, will gladly receive offers from exporters, and advise them on local requirements and trade openings.

British Foods On Show in Los Angeles

By A. G. Elgar, H.M. Consul (Commercial), Los Angeles

'THE VALUE of a show such as this' I was told by Mr. Hugh de Vries of De Vries Imports, Los Angeles, 'is that it enables the smaller retailers from outlying areas to look over a wide range of foodstuffs and beverages in a comparatively short space of time. Los Angeles is such a widespread area that few, if any, firms have the time or the staff to cover all the many retail outlets. Moreover this show enables trade buyers to sample new products: this is of particular importance to me as an importer of British foodstuffs since a number of my lines – lemon curd, for example – are virtually unknown in Southern California.'

This conversation with Mr. de Vries took place at the 4th Pacific Fine Foods & Beverage Fair which closed on July 18 after a four-day run at the Biltmore Hotel, Los Angeles. The show is normally restricted to trade buyers but this time was opened to the public one evening as well. As was the case last year, a wide range of British foodstuffs, representing the products of some fifty manufacturers, was displayed in the International Section of the fair under the auspices of the British Consulate-General, Los Angeles. In some cases the samples on display were obtained direct from United Kingdom sources; in others they were obtained through the co-operation of local importers.

The colourful British stand was designed by the Exhibitions Division of the Central Office of Information in London and attracted a good deal of favourable comment, as did the display piece sent to us by the Food Manufacturers' Federation illustrating the world-wide nature of British food exports. The variety of the products on show came as a surprise to many buyers who, in Southern California at least, tend to think of British foodstuffs in terms of confectionery, jams, marmalade and biscuits – and nothing else. Buyers were intrigued by the finely packaged jars of cockles and winkles; by pickled onions and other pickle varieties; by the extensive range of tea samples; even Christmas puddings and jars of Stilton cheese. The confectionery lines which were shown were very well received indeed and served to consolidate and enhance Britain's fine reputation in this field.

The show this year was rather smaller than last year and the number of trade visitors was lower reflecting in part the current mood of cautiousness in American business circles following the stock market slide of the last two months. On the other hand, the quality of the individual visitors was higher and most exhibitors were satisfied with the amount of business that was done. Besides the United Kingdom stand, the International Section featured official exhibits by Canada, Belgium, Italy and France as well as special displays of Australian and Danish produce.

As far as the British stand was concerned, we received several hundred buyers ranging from the smallest retailer to the large department store buyer and handled numerous source of supply inquiries besides demonstrating to the trade that Britain is a major exporter of foodstuffs keen to develop business in the California market. The importance of the latter may be judged from the fact that foodstuffs is the largest wholesaling activity in Los Angeles with annual sales of over $2·5 billion spread over more than 1,500 wholesale firms. A recent survey by the Research Department of the Los Angeles Chamber of Commerce predicted that retail food sales in the Los Angeles metropolitan area will rise to $3·27 billion by 1970. This forecast, coupled with the expectation that California will become the most populous State before the end of the year, indicates the dimensions of the foodstuffs market in this part of the United States. 'But', pointed out Mr. de Vries at the end of our conversation, 'conscientious representation coupled with West Coast stocks are the essential ingredients to an effective sales effort in this market and this point is sometimes overlooked by British manufacturers. The importance of informative as well as attractive packaging needs to be recognized especially in an area like Los Angeles, where there are large Spanish-speaking and Asiatic elements in the population whose knowledge of English food terms or descriptions is fragmentary. The ideal label combines a visual picture of the product with a description and serving instructions or suggestions. The American housewife reads the instructions on the product more carefully than you might think and if you are trying to introduce a new product the more information there is on the label the better.'

Given the right approach to the Southern Californian market there is no reason why British exporters should not do well. The trend over the last few years has been upwards with direct imports of foodstuffs from Britain through the Ports of Los Angeles and Long Beach in 1961 showing an increase of more than 6 per cent. over the previous year. The main imports are sweet chocolate and sugar confectionery followed by wafers and biscuits, orange marmalade and preserves. Our experience at the Pacific Fine Foods and Beverage Fair shows that there is room for some of the more unusual food exports as well.

A section of the British exhibit at the Fair.
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Overseas Trade Section

Trade and Financial Arrangements

United Kingdom and Italy

PENDING a meeting of the Anglo-Italian Economic Committee, provisional arrangements have been made for Anglo-Italian trade for the year ending June 30, 1963.

As regards United Kingdom exports to Italy, the Italian authorities have agreed to open quotas for goods still subject to restrictions, to the same amounts as in the quotas established for the year ending June 30, 1962, except that imports of passenger and commercial vehicles falling under Tariff Headings 87·02 and 87·03 (see *Board of Trade Journal* February 16, 1962, page 367) will continue to be licensed freely.

Spain and Denmark

AS A RESULT of a recent meeting of the Hispano-Danish Mixed Commission in Madrid, an Agreed Minute was signed on June 18, 1962.

To take account of liberalization and globalization measures introduced by Spain and Denmark since the signing of the Trade Agreement between the two countries in June 1960, several bilateral quotas were eliminated. Furthermore a number of adjustments were made in the remaining quotas in order to make room for some expansion of trade in the items covered by them.

The revised list of Danish exports to Spain includes frozen fish, meat extract, liquors and industrial freezing equipment.

The new list of Spanish exports to Denmark comprises cut flowers, sherry and fine wines.

Sweden and Bulgaria

THE SWEDISH Ministry for Foreign Trade have issued a communique to the effect that a new trade agreement between Sweden and Bulgaria for the period April 1, 1962, to March 31, 1963, was signed in Sofia on June 28, 1962. Payments between the two countries are to be made in convertible currency.

Swedish import quotas for miscellaneous machinery and equipment, electrical resistance material, iron and steel, chemical products and pharmaceuticals have been increased. New quotas have been established for exports of Swedish welding electrodes, ferrous alloys, cotton and woollen waste and cured and canned fish.

Sweden has agreed to increases in the quotas of Bulgarian fruit and vegetables, tomato puree, miscellaneous chemicals and pharmaceuticals, timber, grey cloth, window glass and zinc.

During 1961 Swedish exports to Bulgaria amounted to Kr. 6·1 million compared with Kr. 8·3 million in 1960. Imports from Bulgaria totalled Kr. 3·9 million, compared with Kr. 4·6 million in 1960. (Kr. 14·50=£1.)

All inquiries concerning this notice should be addressed to Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4 (Telephone: City 5757, Ext. 450), quoting Ref. C.R.E. 5979/G.

'Hints to Businessmen' Visiting Colombia

A REVISED edition of the booklet on Colombia has been published in the series of 'Hints to Business Men'.

British business men who intend visiting that country on export business can obtain copies of the booklet on application to the Board of Trade, Directories and Notices Section, Room 0348, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1. (Telephone: Trafalgar 8855, Ext. 2928).

Telex with Sudan Republic

THE General Post Office announce that telex service with the Republic of Sudan opened on August 1. The service will be available from 7 a.m. to 6 p.m. (GMT) each day from Monday to Friday, and from 7 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays. There will be no service on Sundays.

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Information for United Kingdom Exporters

BRIEF DETAILS are given below of overseas inquiries for United Kingdom products, contracts open for tender, reports on commercial conditions abroad, export trade openings, etc., issued recently by the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, to subscribers to the *Export Service Bulletin*.

The *Bulletin*, published three times a week, with a weekly Supplement, is available to United Kingdom manufacturers and exporters at a subscription of £10 10s. a year. A subscription form can be obtained from the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Room E.09, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (City 5757, Ext. 420), (Telex 25977). Copies of particular *Bulletins* containing further details of the items referred to below can be obtained from the same address on prepayment of the sum of 2s. per copy.

Calls for Tender

*Inquiries connected with the calls for tender mentioned below should be addressed to the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. Reference numbers should always be quoted. The date given is the closing date for tendering. It refers to the current year unless otherwise indicated. Tender documents are available for loan in those cases marked with an asterisk *.*

General (Inquiries by telephone: City 5757, Ext. 406 and 404).

AUSTRALIA

Building a School for Public Buildings Department, Adelaide. August 21. E.S.B. 23952/62.
Equipment for Switching Station for Snowy Mountains Hydro-Electric Authority. October 31. E.S.B. 23400/62.*
Visual Omni Range Equipment for Department of Civil Aviation. September 24. E.S.B. 23941/62.*
Transformers for Southern Electric Authority. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available. E.S.B. 23305/62.*
Dust Control Project for Co-operative Bulk Handling Ltd. September 4. E.S.B. 23622/62.*
Transformers for Electricity Commission of New South Wales. October 2. E.S.B. 23614/62.*
Derrick for Marine Board of Hobart. (Further Information.) Closing date postponed to August 13. E.S.B. 22517/62.

General Post Office:

Dial Parts. September 20. E.S.B. 23399/62.*
Transmitting Thermionic Tubes. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20876/62.*
Plugs and Covers. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20875/62.
Induction Coils and Transformers. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20874/62.*

Commonwealth Stores Supply and Tender Board:

Metal Cleaning and Drying Equipment. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20871/62.*
Machine Tools. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20872/62.*
Presses. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 20870/62.
Hydraulic Press. (Further Information.) E.S.B. 22037/62.

BURMA

Union of Burma Purchase Board:

Glass. August 14. E.S.B. 23955/62.*
Concrete Mixer. August 14. E.S.B. 23956/62.*
Bolts, Nuts and Screws. August 14. E.S.B. 23959/62.*
Boiler Composition. August 14. E.S.B. 23958/62.*

CANADA

Construction of a Bridge for Miramichi River, near Chatham, New Brunswick. (Advance Information.) E.S.B. 23522/62.

CEYLON

Fire Tube Boiler for Ceylon Plywoods Corporation. October 9. E.S.B. 23621/62.*
Cotton Waste for Ceylon Transport Board. September 12. E.S.B. 23790/62.*

CHILE

Abattoir and Cold Storage Plant for Department of Agricultural Development and Research. Tender documents (in Spanish) available. Machinery lists only in English. E.S.B. 23388/62.*

ECUADOR

Cranes for Autoridad Portuaria de Guayaquil. August 13. E.S.B. 23623/62.*
Construction of Bridge for Ministry of Public Works and Communications. October 8. E.S.B. 23810/62.

EGYPT

Turbo-Alternator for General Organization for Executing the Five-year Plan. (Further Information.) Closing date postponed to August 15. E.S.B. 19992/62.*

Cairo City Public Transport Organization:

Trolley Buses. Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22988/62.*
Transformer Rectifiers. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22920/62.*

GHANA

Copper Conductors for Ghana Supply Commission. August 30. E.S.B. 23953/62.

INDIA

Gas-pipe Laying Equipment for Oriental Gas Company's Undertaking. August 15. E.S.B. 23978/62.*
Switchgear for Damodar Valley Corporation. September 17. E.S.B. 23976/62.
Film Unit Equipment for Agricultural Department, Trivandrum. August 16. E.S.B. 23675/62.
Coal and Steel Ore Plant and Machinery for Hindustan Steel Ltd. (Further Information.) Closing date now August 20. E.S.B. 13997/62.*
Construction of Berth for Executive Engineer (Ports-Civil), Okha. September 18. E.S.B. 23664/62.
Cranes for Hindustan Aircraft Ltd. August 30. E.S.B. 23667/62.*
Machine Tools for Directorate of Industries and Commerce. August 13. E.S.B. 24317/62.*
Cable; Junction Boxes for Mysore State Electricity Board. (Further Information.) Closing date postponed to August 16. E.S.B. 21190/62.*
Road Works Machinery for Government of Andhra Pradesh. August 18. E.S.B. 23634/62.*
Locomotives for Ministry of Railways. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 20519/62.*
Incinerator Furnace for Atomic Energy Establishment, Trombay. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22589/62.*

U.P. State Electricity Board:

Switchgear and Power Transformers. September 29. E.S.B. 23601/62.
Switchgear and Power Transformers. September 29. E.S.B. 23602/62.
Switchgear and Power Transformers. September 29. E.S.B. 23603/62.
Switchgear and Power Transformers. September 29. E.S.B. 23604/62.
Switchgear and Power Transformers. September 29. E.S.B. 23605/62.
Energy Meters. September 3. E.S.B. 23712/62.
Transformers. September 5. E.S.B. 23715/62.
Insulating Oil Purifiers. September 25. E.S.B. 23711/62.
Wire. September 14. E.S.B. 23714/62.

Madras State Electricity Board:

Insulators. September 11. E.S.B. 23670/62.
Guysets. September 4. E.S.B. 23672/62.
V.H.F. Communication Equipment. August 15. E.S.B. 23668/62.
Insulators. August 14. E.S.B. 23669/62.
Insulators. September 25. E.S.B. 23671/62.

Panjab State Electricity Board:

Switchgear. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 21400/62.*
Transformers and Switchgear. September 10. E.S.B. 23599/62.

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IRAN

Valves for Ministry of Posts, Telegraph and Telephones. September 16. E.S.B. 23680/62.*

IRAQ

Copper Wire for Iraqi Ports Administration. August 22. E.S.B. 23697/62.
Tents for Iraqi Republican Railways. August 29. E.S.B. 23684/62.*
Cheese Vat and Tools for Dairy Administration. (Further Information.) August 15. Tender documents now available. E.S.B. 22099/62.*
Removal and Transfer of Electrical Set for Ministry of Municipalities. August 25. E.S.B. 23686/62.

Ministry of Health:
Aluminium Cooking Pots. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22973/62.*
White Sheeting. September 9. E.S.B. 23683/62.

Government Oil Refineries Administration:
Electrical Equipment. August 18. E.S.B. 23690/62.*
Tetra-Ethyl Lead. September 1. E.S.B. 23689/62.

Ministry of Education:
Metal Working Machines. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22971/62.*
Wood Working Machines. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22972/62.*

Ministry of Defence:
Stationery Materials. August 22. E.S.B. 23688/62.
Printing Paper. August 22. E.S.B. 23691/62.*
Steel Plank. August 22. Specification in Arabic; conditions in English. E.S.B. 23692/62.*

IRISH REPUBLIC

Harbour Development for Galway Harbour Commissioners. September 11. E.S.B. 23639/62.
Pumping Sets for Longford County Council. September 7. E.S.B. 23699/62.

KUWAIT

Ministry of Electricity and Water:
Steam Boilers. August 29. E.S.B. 23753/62.*
Hand and Bench Tools. August 22. E.S.B. 23754/62.*
Hand Tools. August 29. E.S.B. 23772/62.*
Chemical Fluids. August 15. E.S.B. 23677/62.*
Boiler Suits and Coats. August 19. E.S.B. 23773/62.*
Sluice Valves. August 15. E.S.B. 23771/62.*
Valves. August 15. E.S.B. 23700/62.*

MALAYA

Meters (Electricity) for Central Electricity Board. August 28. E.S.B. 23937/62.

NEW ZEALAND

Textiles for Ministry of Works. August 24. E.S.B. 24309/62.*

General Post Office:
Electrical Equipment. August 28. E.S.B. 23971/62.*
Insulating Tape. September 5. E.S.B. 24310/62.*
Rubber Type. September 5. E.S.B. 24311/62.*
Rope (Wire). August 29. E.S.B. 23987/62.*
Toggle Bolts. August 21. E.S.B. 23661/62.*

NIGERIA

Electricity Corporation of Nigeria:
330 kV. Transmission Line. September 28. E.S.B. 23356/62.
Power Transmission Lines. August 22. E.S.B. 23939/62.*

PAKISTAN

Pakistan Telegraph and Telephone Department:
Cables. August 13. E.S.B. 23674/62.*
Cable Detectors. Tender documents now available. E.S.B. 23544/62.*

Pakistan Eastern Railway:
Dynamos (Train Lighting). (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22771/62.*
Steel Sheets. August 15. E.S.B. 23908/62.*
Steel Plates. (Further Information.) Tender documents now available for loan. E.S.B. 22564/62.*

Pakistan Western Railway:
Bicycles and Parts. August 15. E.S.B. 23706/62.*
Pig Iron. August 18. E.S.B. 23707/62.*

Water and Power Development Authority:
Capacitors and Meters. August 16. E.S.B. 23948/62.*
Pumps. August 17. E.S.B. 23949/62.*
Test Meter. August 20. E.S.B. 23950/62.*

PORTUGUESE WEST AFRICA

Galvanized Iron Pipes for Water and Electricity Department. August 24. E.S.B. 23676/62.

RHODESIA AND NYASALAND

Stainless Steel Tableware for Government Central Stores. August 24. E.S.B. 23943/62.
Drugs; Chemicals for the Ministry of Health. August 17. E.S.B. 23944/62.

Commissioner of Roads and Road Traffic:
Laboratory Ovens. August 17. E.S.B. 23946/62.
Automatic Balances. August 17. E.S.B. 23945/62.

SINGAPORE

Equipment for a Surgical Unit for Hospital for Singapore Government. (Advance Information.) Closing date not yet known. E.S.B. 24316/62.

SOUTH AFRICA

Brake Testing Machine for City Treasurer's Department, Johannesburg. August 14. E.S.B. 23994/62.*
Laboratory Apparatus; Glassware; Chemicals for State Tender Board. August 20. E.S.B. 23675/62.*

South African Railways:
Cranes. November 9. E.S.B. 23646/62.*
Telegraphic Equipment. September 28. E.S.B. 23660/62.*

Transvaal Provincial Tender Board:
X-Ray Equipment. August 17. E.S.B. 23647/62.*
X-Ray Equipment. August 17. E.S.B. 23648/62.*
Tip Trucks. August 17. E.S.B. 23649/62.*

Cape Provincial Administration:
Knitting Wool. August 14. E.S.B. 23630/62.*
Colour Powders. August 17 E.S.B. 23632/62.*

SOUTH VIETNAM

Machinery for Rice Straw Mill for Société de Papeterie et de Produits Chimiques du Donnai. (Advance Notice.) Closing date not known. E.S.B. 23906/62.*
Teletype Paper for Central Purchasing Authority. August 17. E.S.B. 23979/62.*

SUDAN

Leather for the Sudan Gezira Board. August 14. E.S.B. 23912/62.

THAILAND

Aluminium Foil for Thailand Tobacco Monopoly. August 15. E.S.B. 23981/62.

The Provincial Electricity Authority (Samsen):
Transformers. August 17. E.S.B. 23984/62.
Electrical Testing Equipment. August 21. E.S.B. 23986/62.

TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO

Switchgear for Trinidad and Tobago Electricity Commission. November 2. E.S.B. 23598/62.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Equipment for Steam Electric Plant for Sargent and Lundy, Chicago. (Advance Information.) Closing date not yet known. E.S.B. 22984/62.

URUGUAY

Passenger Coaches and Accessories for La Gerencia General. October 31. Tender documents (in Spanish) available. E.S.B. 24000/62.*

Agency and Export Opportunities, Market Surveys, Etc.

Further details of the items referred to below are contained in recent issues of the Export Service Bulletin, or Supplement, copies of which can be obtained from the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4, on prepayment of the sum of 2s. per copy. The reference number should be quoted in all inquiries.

All Countries
Successful bidders for overseas contracts. (E.S.B. 6499/62.)
'Trade Fairs help Exports – hints for the small exhibitor.' (G.D. 1361/62.)

Australia
Agency inquiry for coated abrasive products. (E.S.B. 23431/62.)
Inquiry for leather. (E.S.B. 23733/62.)
Inquiry for confectionery. (E.S.B. 21075/62.)
Inquiry for saddlery leathers. (E.S.B. 23300/62.)
Reference to the Special Advisory Authority. (C.R.E. 6947/62; C.R.E. 4714/62; C.R.E. 4060/62.)

Austria
Economic report, June 1962. (C.R.E. 3756/62.)

Bahrain
Economic report, April-June 1962. (C.R.E. 1808/G.2.)

Belgium
Agency inquiry for industrial supplies and equipment; porcelain insulators; semi-finished aluminium products. (E.S.B. 30295/61.)

Belgium/Luxembourg
Economic report, April-June 1962. (C.R.E. 3476/G.)

Burma
Inquiry for vacuum coating machines. (E.S.B. 21962/62.)

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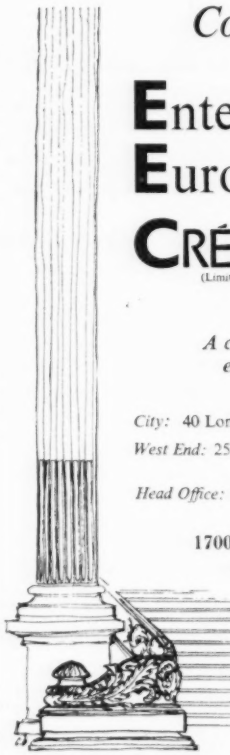

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Cambodia
Economic report, April-June 1962. (C.R.E. 221/50.)

Canada
Agency inquiry for industrial products; engineering supply products. (E.S.B. 23505/62.)
Inquiry for electrical insulating materials. (E.S.B. 23561/62.)
Inquiry for powered lawn mowers. (E.S.B. 22854/62.)
Inquiry for rubber processing machinery. (E.S.B. 22846/62.)

Canary Islands
Economic report, January-June 1962. (C.R.E. 1004/60.)

Chile
Economic report, April-June 1962. (C.R.E. 1133/62.)

Costa Rica
Agency inquiry for jute bags. (E.S.B. 22856/62.)
Inquiry for plant for production of cereal foods. (E.S.B. 23445/62.)

Egypt
Inquiry for brewery. (E.S.B. 23139/62.)

Finland
Agency inquiry for pumps; water and oil meters. (E.S.B. 21530/62.)
Agency inquiry for pumps. (E.S.B. 23021/62.)

France
Agency inquiry for machine tools. (E.S.B. 23701/62.)
Agency inquiry for paper, greeting cards; decorations. (E.S.B. 23455/62.)
Agency inquiry for whisky. (E.S.B. 23098/62.)
Agency inquiry for hydraulic cranes. (E.S.B. 10811/62.)
Inquiry in respect of road tunnel project. (E.S.B. 22290/62.)

France/Norway
Trade Agreement. (C.R.E. 5772/G.)

Germany (Federal Republic)
Inquiry in respect of sales organization; materials handling equipment. (E.S.B. 23062/62.)
Inquiry for plastic blinds and doors; P.V.C. raw materials. (E.S.B. 23780/62.)
Manufacture under licence – cosmetics. (E.S.B. 23012/62.)
Economic report, July 16-22, 1962. (C.R.E. 1479/G.)
Import Committee Publication, January 3, 1962 – raw hides, etc. (C.R.E. 158/62.)

Ghana
Exchange Control. (C.R.E. 11493/58.)

Iran
Inquiry for door and window fittings. (E.S.B. 10610/62.)
Economic report, May-June, 1962. (C.R.E. 3562/G/2.)

Israel
Agency inquiry for automobile washing equipment; mailing machines; earthmoving machinery; port equipment. (E.S.B. 23856/62.)
Agency inquiry for scientific and measuring instruments; telecommunications equipment; electronic components. (E.S.B. 23792/62.)
Agency inquiry for compressors; drilling machines and bits. (E.S.B. 23147/62.)
Manufacture under licence – pneumatic hand tools. (E.S.B. 23100/62.)

Italy
Agency inquiry for aerosol valves. (E.S.B. 23586/62.)
Inquiry for egg packing machinery. (E.S.B. 22617/62.)

Jamaica
Agency inquiry for chemicals. (E.S.B. 23570/62.)
Inquiry for confectionery. (E.S.B. 23747/62.)

Kenya and Uganda
Agency inquiry for textiles. (E.S.B. 23583/62.)
Agency inquiry for plastics domestic ware. (E.S.B. 23201/62.)
Inquiry for galvanized iron sheets; machinery. (E.S.B. 23720/62.)
Economic report, April-June 1962. (C.R.E. 5605/G.)

Kuwait
Inquiry in respect of construction projects. (E.S.B. 19420/62.)
Inquiry for air-conditioners; water coolers; fire-fighting equipment. (E.S.B. 23289/62.)

Liberia
Economic report, January-June 1962. (C.R.E. 899/G.)

Mexico
Agency inquiry for ceramics materials; machinery for ceramics industry. (E.S.B. 23042/62.)

Norway
Agency inquiry for piece-goods; clothing. (E.S.B. 23202/62.)

Pakistan
Inquiry for flour mill plant. (E.S.B. 23271/62.)
Inquiry for wool spinning plant. (E.S.B. 23410/62.)
Inquiry for wool spinning plant. (E.S.B. 22430/62.)
International hotel at Dacca, East Pakistan. (E.S.B. 23205/62.)

Portugal
Manufacture under licence – internal combustion engines. (E.S.B. 23267/62.)
Market report on sewage and refuse disposal plant. (E.S.B. 19844/62.)

Qatar
Agency inquiry for photographic equipment; domestic electrical equipment; knitwear.
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IRAN

Export—Import Regulations (IX)

THE FINAL list of rates of Commercial Benefit Tax payable on imports into Iran is given below. Previous articles on Commercial Benefit Tax were published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on May 25, 1962, (pages 1171 to 1175), June 1, 1962 (pages 1236 to 1239), July 20 (page 160) and July 27, 1962 (pages 220 to 229).

CHAPTER VII

Hides, Skins, Leather, Fur Skin, and Goods made therefrom

Section 36

Hides or Skins and Leathers

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
349	Hide leather for soles and transmission belts	Kilo	50
350	Hides of large animals, such as ox and horse hides, and other similar leathers, except those included in Item 349	Kilo	220
351	Calf skins	Kilo	260
352	Sheep and goat skins	Kilo	150
353	Varnished gilt, silvered, bronzed, leather	Kilo	200
354	Tawed or chamois-dressed hides or skins	Kilo	200

Section 37

Manufacture of Leather, Hides or Skins

362	Leather gloves (all – leather or other kinds):		
362A	For workers and industrial workers	Kilo	200
363	Industrial articles of leather or skin for use in machinery, transmission and conveyor belts and cords and accessories and parts of machines and other technical articles *Note:* Leather and hide or skins simply cut and recognizable as parts of articles mentioned under Items 359 to 363 are included under items relating to articles of same kind.	Kilo	60
365	Articles made of guts (except strings for musical instruments):		
365A	Guts for surgery	Kilo (with container)	Exempt
365B	Others	Kilo (with container)	180

Section 38

Fur Skins

366	Fur skins, raw:		
366A	Lamb skin – raw:		
366A-1	Astrakhan and 'Quarqul' type	*Ad val.*	50%
368	Fur skins made up, including those made for carrying on the shoulders or for use as cuffs or having artificial eyes, claws or teeth:		
368A	Pelisses	*Ad val.*	50%

CHAPTER VIII

Section 39

Rubber and Articles made of Rubber

General Notes:

(1) This Chapter includes natural, synthetic and artificial rubber, gutta-percha, balata, and hardened rubber (ebonite and the like), even if these substances are combined with filling materials (mineral or other), and whatever the proportion of the latter.

(2) The term rubber mentioned under Items 371 to 377, covers the various forms of rubber, including balata and gutta-percha, but excluding hardened rubber (ebonite and the like).

(3) Articles enumerated under Items 372 to 379 which, apart from filling material, are combined with other materials, remain covered by those items provided they have not lost their character of articles made of rubber.

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
371C	Crepe	Kilo	10
372	Vulcanized rubber (unhardened) sheets, plates and strips combined with textile materials, metals, asbestos or other substances, tread or filament with textile materials	Kilo	10
375	Rubber tyres for wheels of vehicles:		
375B-2	Tyres for passenger cars	Kilo	15
375B-3	Tyres for motorcycles	Kilo	7
375B-4	Tyres for trucks	Kilo	7
375B-5	Tyres for buses	Kilo	7
376	Articles made of unhardened rubber produced by casting or made of sheets glued together	Kilo (with wrapper)	10
377	Other articles made of unhardened rubber:		
377A	Soles and heels for shoes	Kilo	100
377B	Non-spongy carpets for doorways – even in rolls	Kilo	50
377C	Articles made of spongy rubber, sheets, plates	Kilo	20
377D	Pencil erasers	Kilo (with wrapper)	1
379	Articles made of hardened rubber (ebonite) whether cast or not, not elsewhere specified or included:		
379A	With ornaments, plain or with attachments	(Non-authorized import)	
379B	Others	*Ad val.*	200%

CHAPTER IX

Wood, Cork, and articles made thereof, Goods made of Plaiting Materials

Section 40

Wood and Articles made of Wood

General Notes:

(1) Wood and wooden wares which have been treated *with liquid or chemically prepared* are classified under their respective numbers.

(2) Wood and wooden ware *treated with Mordants* are classified as dyed wood and wooden wares.

382	Wood, with or without bark or rough-hewn:		
382A	Conifers	*Ad val.*	5%
382B	Others	Ton	100
383	Wood squared with the axe, not elsewhere specified or included	Ton	100
384	Wood simply sawn lengthwise, not elsewhere specified or included	Ton	150
385	Railway sleepers (ties) *Note:* Import only may be made for the State Railways and railways serving private productive work.	Ton	250
386	Stavewood – unprepared	Ton	800
388	Wood for walking stick, tool or other handles and the like, planed or rounded	Kilo	4
390	Wood planed, grooved or tongued, artificial wood ('Xylolith,' etc.)	Kilo	25
391	Blocks and panels for parquet flooring	Kilo	190
392	Veneering sheets not exceeding 3 mm. in thickness. *Note:* Sheets of wood under 392 are those not exceeding 3 millimeters in thickness.	*Ad val.*	75%
393	Plywood	Kilo	15
394	Beadings for furniture, frames, inscriptions and like: Plain, covered with plaster or paste, whether or not moulded in relief or intaglio, but not finished; veneered, polished, painted, varnished, coloured, bronzed, silvered, gilt, etc., those covered with gold or silver, inlaid with mother-of-pearl, ivory or other	*Ad val.*	160%
395	Wooden frames - assembled or not	*Ad val.*	160%
396	Wooden packing cases or crates prepared or unassembled, plain or with metal sheet lining	*Ad val.*	10%

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Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
400	Household articles (such as spoons, forks, boxes, cases, chests and tools), of wood:		
400A-1	Spoons	Kilo	150
400A-2	Forks	Kilo	150
400B	Tools, tool handles and boot or shoe lasts, hat moulds and boot or shoe heels	Kilo	45
401	Turned wares, not elsewhere specified or included:		
401A	Spinner's spools and similar articles used in spinning or weaving	Kilo	5
402	Furniture and parts of furniture, assembled or unassembled, bent-wood	*Ad val.*	200%
403	Other furniture and parts of furniture, wooden, including billiard tables	*Ad val.*	200%

Section 41

Cork and Articles made of Cork

408	Bricks, tiles, slabs, sheets, tubing and the like, having a basis of agglomerated cork	Kilo	5
409	Stoppers, and other wares made of rough or agglomerated cork *Note:* Cork and spangles with sheath or attachments made of wood, metal, glass or other materials shall be subject to the tariff of the materials attached.	Kilo	5
410	Articles of natural or agglomerated cork not elsewhere specified or included, simply cut out for a specified purpose; other, whether or not combined with other materials	Kilo	10

Section 42

Articles made of Straw Cane or other vegetable plaiting materials

411	Plaiting of straw, bark, cane, reed or esparto, ribbons or shavings of wood or similar materials, whether or not combined with other materials	Kilo	100
412	Other wares of vegetable plaiting materials, not elsewhere specified or included, whether or not combined with other materials:		
412A	Articles for packing and transport, and made of reeds, etc., for building and similar articles	Kilo	100
412B	Door mats, ordinary hassirs, china mats and similar mats and others	*Ad val.*	160%
413	Furniture of wickerwork or bamboo	Kilo	300

CHAPTER X

Section 43

Paper and its applications

Materials used for the manufacture of Paper

416	Paper pulp, made of rags or plant fibres, mechanical or chemical (cellulose)	Kilo	0·3

Section 44

Cardboard and Paper, Wares of Cardboard or Paper

	General Note: Products weighing 300 grams or more per sq. m. are regarded as cardboard, and if weighing less than 300 gr. per sq. m. are treated as paper.		
417	Cardboard in rolls or sheets plain, with no designs or worked common cardboard, felted cardboard, 'Duplex' and 'Triplex' cardboard, formed from several layers of pulp of different qualities simply compressed together, cardboard formed of several sheets of paper pasted upon one another, such as Bristol and similar cardboard, other cardboards not mentioned elsewhere or included under other Tariffs *Note:* Cardboard covered with paper of natural colour, white, or coloured in the mass, is classified under Item 417.	Kilo	5
418	Cardboard in rolls or sheets, made up. Glazed (lustre), surface coated, enameled, coloured, varnished, gilt, silvered, metallized, marbled, printed or with printed designs, etc., or covered with paper prepared in the same manner. Parchment cardboard and imitation thereof, corrugated or goffered, other cardboards with design not elsewhere specified or included	Kilo	6
421	Paper in rolls or sheets with designs:		
421E	Other fashioned papers not mentioned elsewhere	Kilo	5
422	Wall paper	Kilo	30
423	Sheets of paper pulp for filtering and for building purposes	Kilo	6
424-2	Filter paper and cardboard whether cut, pleated not	Kilo	5
425	Special cardboard and paper, in rolls, sheets or boards:		
425A	Vulcanized, in rods, or tubes	Kilo	2
425B	Covered or impregnated with artificial resins or similar materials, impregnated with petroleum derivatives, coal tar or similar products (cardboard or paper bitumenized for roofing, etc.) whether or not strengthened or coated with sand, covered with graphite, in imitation of slate, or similar substances hardened with mineral materials (carton-pierre, etc.) (C.B.T. on all kinds of fibreboards of over 1·5 mm. thick is 6 Rials per kg.)	Kilo	1
428	Envelopes of all sizes, note paper, correspondence cards with their envelopes, in boxes, packets, etc., of cardboard or paper:		
428A	Envelopes of all sizes:		
428A-1	Ordinary, plain or with block printed linings	Kilo (with wrapper)	30
428A-2	With paper or cloth lining flowered or decorated with fringes	Kilo (with wrapper)	90
428B	Paper for correspondence with their envelopes, in boxes, packets, etc.:		
428B-1	Plain or with cards	Kilo (with wrapper)	15
428B-2	Flowered or decorated with fringes	Kilo (with wrapper)	140
429	Paper bags, sacks, cornets and pouches:		
429A	Bags for cement, hygiene and cleanliness:		
429A-1	For cement and the like	Kilo	Exempt
429A-2	For hygiene and sanitation	Kilo	Exempt
429B	Others	Kilo	1
430	Travel articles and cases, boxes of paper or cardboard (whether vulcanized or not) not elsewhere specified or included:		
430A	Travel articles (trunks, suit cases, bags, attache cases, etc.) covered in textile materials and others	Kilo	25
430B	Case, sheath, frame (like frame for glasses, spectacles and similar) box for jewellery, boxes and similar containers covered with textile materials and other kinds	Kilo	150
431	Exercise books, note books, writing pads, agenda, covers for books, albums, passe partouts and similar articles of cardboard or paper whether or not combined with other materials:		
431A	Agenda (diary; engagement books)	Kilo (with wrapper)	50
431B	Albums	Kilo	125
433	Wares of 'papier-mache, cartonpierre,' vulcanized and similar cardboard, not specified elsewhere	Kilo	50
434	Stamped wares of cardboard or paper not included under Item 433, such as plates, trays, pots, covers, tumblers, etc.:		
434-1	Plates – trays	Kilo	40
434-2	Frames	Kilo	40
434-3	Covers	Kilo	40
434-4	Pots	Kilo	40
434-5	Tumblers	Kilo	40
434-6	Containers and other articles	Kilo	40
435	Wares of cardboards or paper, not elsewhere specified or included:		
435B	Paper lace and embroidery	Kilo (with wrapper)	150
435C	Table cloths and serviettes	Kilo (with wrapper)	120
435D	Others:		
435D-1	Paper tubes used as containers of sausages and the like	Kilo	5
435D-2	Others	Kilo	150
	Note 1: Where a distinction is to be made between wares of cardboard or paper not combined with other materials, and those combined bined with other materials, the following should be disregarded: clasps, fastenings, cornerpieces, eyelets, textile threads, strings, and other small accessories necessary for making the articles or for facilitating its use, and not having the character of ornaments. *Note* 2: Items 427 to 435 also include articles bearing printed matter or designs, in black, coloured or pressed printing (other than name and address of the manufacturer), and will pay specified customs duty plus 25%.		

Section 45

Booksellers' wares and products of Graphic arts

	Note 1: Importation of all kinds of printed matter, whether books or newspapers, magazines, postal cards and cuts and etc., contrary to social order or contrary to the country's official religion or morality shall be prohibited. *Note* 2: Framed charts, the frames of which have more value and globes are classified under Item 925 of Section 77.		

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Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
437	Illustrated post-cards	Kilo	200
	Note: Coloured post-cards and other cards for play and fun including these having ornaments are subject to the specified customs duty pluss 100%.		
438	Playing cards	Per Pkt.	150
	Note 1: No duties are collected on ordinary containers for playing cards.		
	Note 2: Of the 150 Rials Commercial Benefit Tax collected on playing cards, Rials 12 per pack is Monopoly Duty and the balance is Commercial Benefit Tax.		
439	Other picture wares on paper or cardboard such as pictures, engravings, photographs, chromos, transfers (decalcomanias), etc., framed or not:		
439B	Picture books, pictures and engravings in albums or packets or bound in book shape whether with a short text or not	Kilo	50
439C	Others	Kilo	50
440	Printed matter of all kinds on paper or cardboard, not elsewhere specified or included:		
440A-1	Catalogues, advertisements and similar publications (except movie advertisement pictures)	Kilo	50
440A-2	Calendars	Kilo	50
440B	Labels, adhesive tapes and uncancelled stamps	Kilo	30
440E	Illustrated cinema advertisements	Kilo	50
440G	Other similar products not elsewhere specified or included:		
440G-1	Current travellers cheques	Kilo	50
440G-2	New travellers cheques	Kilo	50
440G-3	Others not mentioned elsewhere or included under any other tariff number	Kilo	50

CHAPTER XI

Textile Materials and Textile Goods

General Notes relating to Chapter XI

I. In the absence of any special provision to the contrary, the items in Chapter XI (Yarns, Fabrics, etc.) have been classified without regard for any non-textile materials which may enter into their composition.

II. Yarns consisting of two or more different textile materials have been classified according to the following rules:

Composition of Yarn	Classification
(a) Simple yarn containing closely intermixed, a total of at least 10 per cent. (in weight) of wool or fine hair fibres, whether or not mixed with silk, artificial silk, waste or artificial textile fibre	Item 504 or 506
(b) Simple yarn containing, closely intermixed, a total of at least 10% (in weight) of textile materials classified under Section 464 (natural silk) and Section 46B, Artificial silk, waste of artificial silk and artificial yarsn whether or not mixed with less than 10% of wool or fine hair	Section 46 – first group (natural silk)
(c) Simple yarn containing, closely intermixed, a total of at least 10% (in weight) of textile material classified under Section 46B. (Artificial silk, waste of artificial silk, artificial yarn) without admixture of silk, whether or not mixed with less than 10% of wool or fine hair	Section 46 – second group
(d) Twisted yarn, one of the component strands of which is of silk, artificial silk or artificial textile fibre, also where such strand comes under (b) and (c) above	Section 46
(e) Twisted yarn, one of the component strands of which is of wool or fine hair, also where such strands come under (a) above	Section 47
(f) Metal yarn (metal thread combined with textile threads) whatever the composition or nature of the textiles constituting the core	Section 46

Mixed yarns, not mentioned above are classified according to the section of the textile materials predominating (by weight) in the mixture. Where the component textile materials are present in equal weights, the following order or priority shall prevail for the purpose of classifying the mixed yarn in question.

(1) Flax or ramie
(2) Cotton
(3) Hemp
(4) Jute
(5) Vegetable textile materials coming under Item 544
(6) Coarse hair

III. Fabric and other textile goods consisting of two or more textile materials are classified in accordance with the following rules:

(a) Fabrics the whole of the warp or weft (including additional threads, if any) of which is composed of one or other of the textile materials indicated in the first column of the following table are classified under the items relating to these materials whatever the respective proportions of the textiles of which the fabric is composed.

Silk or Floss Silk	All other textile materials
Floss Silk waste	Artificial fibres and textile materials Section 47, 48 and 49.
Artificial Silk	Floss silk, artificial yarn and textile materials Section 47, 48 and 49.
Artificial textile fibres	Textile materials Section 47, 48 and 49.
Wool or fine hair	Coarse hair and vegetable textile materials.
Horse hair	Coarse hair and vegetable textile materials.
Coarse hair	Vegetable textile materials.
Cotton	Vegetable textile materials with the exception of flax, hemp, and ramie.
Flax or ramie (whether or not with ornamental cotton threads, stripes or bands not exceeding in weight 15% of the weight of the flax, hemp ramie)	Cotton or other vegetable textile materials.
Jute	Threads of paper or vegetable textile materials other than cotton, flax, hemp or ramie.
Other vegetable textile materials	Paper threads.

(b) Fabrics and other textile goods composed entirely of yarn made up of two or more textile materials (closely intermixed or twisted together) are classified under the section to which those yarns belong.

(c) Velvets or plushes made of mixed materials, the cut or uncut velvet pile of which covers – entirely or for the greater part – one surface of the fabric and at the same time consists of one only of the mixed materials, fall under the section to which that materials belongs, unless the cut or uncut pile of such velvet or plush is of wool, cotton, etc., and the plain side of silk, silk floss, artificial silk or artificial textile fibre.

(d) Carpets with a cut or uncut pile on the right side are classified according to the material of which pile is made.

(e) Tulles and net fabrics, lace and trimmings are classified under Section 46 when they contain any proportion of silk, artificial silk or artificial textile fibre. Articles of this kind containing wool or fine hair in any porportion, but without any admixture of the textile materials included under Section 46 are classified under Section 47.

(f) In classifying embroidered work, the ground materials only shall be taken into account; the type of thread used for embroidering shall not affect such classification. Chemical embroideries, and those in which the ground is not visible, shall nevertheless be excepted from this rule; in such cases the type of thread used for embroidering shall determine the classification.

(g) Subject to the foregoing provision and to the exceptions specified in the nomenclature, fabrics composed of two or more textile materials will be classified in accordance with the following table:

Composition of Fabric	Classification
Fabrics containing more than 8% in weight of silk floss silk	Section 46A
Fabrics containing more than 20% in weight of floss or floss silk	Section 46A
Fabrics containing more than 20% in weight of artificial silk without any admixture of silk, floss silk or floss silk waste	Section 46B
Fabrics containing in all more than 8% in weight of artificial textile material coming under Section 46A, and Section 46B	Section 46A
Fabrics containing more than 20% of artificial textile fibre without any admixture of silk, floss silk, floss silk waste or artificial silk	Section 46B
Fabrics containing in all more than 20% in weight of artificial silk and artificial textile fibre without any admixture of silk or floss silk	Section 46B
Fabrics containing more than 10% in weight of hair, without admixture of materials coming under Section 46	Item 516

Mixed fabrics not specified above are classified under the section of textile materials predominating by weight in the mixture. Where the component textile materials are present in equal weights, the following order of priority shall prevail for the purpose of classifying the mixed fabric in question.

(1) Flax or ramie
(2) Cotton
(3) Hemp
(4) Jute
(5) Vegetable textile materials coming under Item 544
(6) Coarse hairs

IV. As regard hosiery articles in Section 51, subject to the provision in Note III (b) above, articles composed of two or more textile materials will be classified as follows:

	Classification
(a) Materials and other articles containing (by weight) more than 8% of silk, or in all more than 8% of silk, or artificial silk or artificial textile fibre	Item 580
(b) Materials and other articles containing (by weight) more than 20% of artificial silk or artificial textile fibres without any admixture of silk	Item 581
(c) Material and other articles containing (by weight) at least 10% of wool or fine hair, including articles containing silk, artificial textile fibre but not coming under (a) and (b) above	Item 582
(d) Materials and other articles composed of several textiles and not specified above	Item 583

V. Clothing, underwear, and other readymade apparel in Section 52 are to be regarded as composed of silk, artificial silk, woollen or cotton fabrics, or fabrics of linen or other textile materials when they consist of fabrics which, according to the rules laid down for classification, come under the Section relating to silk, wool, cotton or linen and other textile materials respectively.

VI. Subject to the exceptions specially provided for, Section 52 includes articles wholly or partly made up – i.e., hemmed, pierced (pinked), whip-stitched, bound or otherwise hand or machine sewn of fabrics of all kinds, including embroideries and lace, felt, rubbered or elastic fabrics, oil cloth special fabrics. Subject to the same exceptions mentioned under Section 52, the said section further includes articles cut out and then put together by means of basting or pasting or by fasteners. Fabrics of all kinds simply cut out in other than square or rectangular pieces – i.e., cut out for a particular purpose are classified, according to their composition and purpose, under the respective Items for made-up articles. If, however, their purpose is not obvious, the said articles are classified under the Item of sewn or made-up articles not elsewhere specified or included.

VII. The classification of cloth and other made-up articles made of fabrics, felts or stuffs of different composition is determined by the element which gives the articles their special character. However, linings, ribbons, piping, button, labels, tacking threads and all other trimmings, which are only an accessory to the garments, do not affect their Tariff classification.

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Section 46

Silk, Floss Silk, Artificial Silk and Artificial Textile Fibres: Metal Yarn.

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
	(A) *Mutual Silk*		
446	Threads of silk, floss silk or floss silk waste, whether mixed or not, prepared for retail sale	Kilo (with wrapper)	30
	Note: Imports under this heading are prohibited unless they are made up in reels not exceeding 200 yards in length, for retail trade.		
	A.I – Fabrics of Silk or Floss Silk, whether mixed together or not (447-450)		
447	Ribbons (A.I):		
	Of velvet or plush and other kinds, plain or figured	Kilo	125
448	Velvet and plushes (A.I)	Kilo	150
449	Crepes (A.I), plain or figures	Kilo	650
450	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified, plain or figured (A.I)	Kilo	650
	A.II – Fabrics of silk mixed with other textiles (451 to 454)		
451	Ribbons (A.II):		
	Of velvet or plush, other kinds, plain or figured	Kilo	125
452	Velvet and plushes (A.II):		
452A	Containing 25% or less silk	Kilo	650
452B	Containing more than 20% to 60% silk	Kilo	700
452C	Containing more than 60% silk	Kilo	750
453	Crepes (A.II), plain or figured:		
453A	Containing 20% and less silk	Kilo	650
453B	More than 20% to 60%	Kilo	700
453C	More than 60%	Kilo	750
454	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified (A.II), plain or figured:		
454A	Containing 20% and less silk	Kilo	650
454B	More than 20% to 60%	Kilo	700
454C	More than 60%	Kilo	750
	(A.III) – Other Fabrics and articles of silk, floss silk or floss silk waste, whether or not mixed together with other textiles		
455	Tulles and net fabrics (A.III), plain or figured	Kilo	175
456	Lace (A.III)	Kilo	175
457	Trimmings (A.III), of silk, floss silk or floss silk waste, pure or intermixed or mixed with other textile materials	Kilo	120
458	Embroidery (A.III), chemical (aerienne) embroidery and embroidery without visible ground, of silk pure or intermixed, with precious metal fibres, pearls or precious stones, intermixed with non-precious fibres, beads, hezels, silk, artificial silk and other artificial textiles	Kilo	800
460	Bolting cloth (A.III)	Kilo	50
461	Fabrics woven of floss silk waste (A.III):		
461A	Pure silk	Kilo	750
461-B	Mixed with other textile (except silk or floss silk):		
461B-1	Having 30% or less silk waste	Kilo	650
461B-2	Having more than 30% to 60% silk waste	Kilo	700
461B-3	Having more than 60% silk waste	Kilo	750
	(B) *Artificial Silk, Artificial Silk Waste, Artificial Textile Fibre*		
462	Artificial silk-thread (except that prepared for retail sale), plain or twisted, even bleached, dyed or printed, pure or mixed	Kilo	5
463	Coarse thread and flat thread of artificial silk, pure or mixed	Kilo	5
464	Artificial silk waste, in the mass	Kilo	2
467	Thread of artificial silk and artificial textile fibre (except that prepared for retail sale), raw, bleached, single or twisted, pure or mixed	Kilo	5
468	Threads of artificial silk, artificial silk waste or artificial textile fibres, pure or mixed, prepared for retail sale	Kilo (with wrapper)	30
	Note: Imports under this heading are prohibited unless they are made up in reels not exceeding 200 yards in length, for retail sale.		
	B.I – Fibres of Pure Artificial Silk (469-472)		
469	Ribbons (B.I), of velvet or plush, and other, plain or figures	Kilo	100
470	Velvets and plushes (B.I)	Kilo	100
471	Crepes (B.I), plain or figured	Kilo	75
472	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified (B.I), pure or figured	Kilo	75
	Note: Commercial Benefit Tax on flower figured velvet fabrics is 175 Rials per kilo.		
	B.II – Fabrics of artificial silk mixed with other textiles (except natural silk, floss silk and floss silk waste) (473 to 476)		
473	Ribbons (B.II), of velvet or plush, and other, plain or figured	Kilo	100
474	Velvets and plushes (B.II)	Kilo	100
475	Crepes (B.II), plain or figured	Kilo	75
476	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified (B.II), plain or figured)	Kilo	75
	Note: Commercial Benefit Tax on flower figured velvet fabric is 175 Rials per kilo.		
	B.III – Fabrics of artificial silk waste and artificial textile fibre, pure (477 to 480)		
477	Ribbons (B.III), of velvet or plush and others, plain or figured	Kilo	100
478	Velvets and plushes (B.III)	Kilo	100
479	Crepes (B.III), plain or figured	Kilo	75
480	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified (B.III), plain or figured	Kilo	75
	Note: Commercial Benefit Tax on flower figured velvet fabrics is 175 Rials per kilo.		
481	Ribbons (B.IV), of velvet and plush and other, plain or figured	Kilo	100
482	Velvet and plushes (B.IV)	Kilo	100
483	Crepes (B.IV), plain or figured	Kilo	75
484	Other fabrics not elsewhere specified (B.IV), plain or figured	Kilo	75
	Note: Commercial Benefit Tax on flower figured velvet fabrics is 175 Rials per kilo.		
	B.V – Other fabrics and articles of artificial silk, artificial silk waste and artificial textile fibre, whether or not mixed with other textile materials (except natural silk) (485 to 488)		
485	Tulles and net fabrics (B.V), plain or figured	Kilo	150
486	Lace (B.V)	Kilo	400
487	Trimmings (B.V)	Kilo	250
488	Embroideries (B.V), chemical (aerienne) embroidery and embroidery without visible ground, other embroideries on artificial silk, silk floss, artificial or other fibres artificial, with precious metal fibres, pearls and precious stone, with non-precious metal yarns, beads, hezel; with silk, silk artificial and other artificial textiles whether or not artificial	Kilo	400
490	Bolting cloth (B.V)	Kilo	200
	(C) *Metal Fibres*		
491	Metal thread combined with textile threads (metal yarns):		
491A	Of precious metals	Kilo	250
491B	Of base metals, silvered or gilt; ribbon, trimmings and other woven materials of yarn or metal filaments for clothing furniture and similar use	Kilo	150
492A	Fabrics, ribbons, trimmings and other articles of metal thread or yarn, for garments, furnishings and similar use.		
492A	Ribbons and trimmings:		
492A-1	With precious metal	Kilo	175
492A-2	With base metals, silvered or gilt	Kilo	125
492B	Fabrics and other articles:		
492B-1	With precious metal	Kilo	400
492B-2	With base metal, silvered or gilt	Kilo	225
	Note: Item 492 includes articles made entirely of metal thread or yarn, composed of metal thread and those which in appearance seem to be entirely of metal thread or composed of metal threads. Articles of which the warp or weft is formed exclusively of metal thread or yarn also come under this heading (492). Articles combined with metal thread or yarn but which do not comply with the above conditions are classified according to the textile material of which they are composed.		

Section 47

Wool, Hair, and Soft Wool

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
506	Thread and yarn of wool, soft wool, or other hair whether pure or mixed, plain or dyed, prepared for retail sale	Kilo (with wrapper)	30
507	Woollen fabrics not elsewhere specified:		
507A	Pure woollen fabric the weight of each square metre of which is:		
507A-1	250 gr. and under	Kilo	200
507A-2	Over 250 gr. to 350 gr.	Kilo	170
507A-3	Over 350 gr. to 500 gr.	Kilo	150
507A-4	Over 500 gr.	Kilo	120
	Note: Woollen fabrics mixed with other yarns up to 10% or less shall be recognized as woollen materials.		
507B	Mixed woollen fabrics not mentioned elsewhere the weight of each metre of which is:		
507B-1	250 gr. and under	Kilo	300
507B-2	Over 250 gr. to 350 gr.	Kilo	330
507B-3	Over 350 gr. to 500 gr.	Kilo	300
507B-4	Over 500 gr.	Kilo	280
508	Cloth of felted wool for paper making and for other technical purposes	Kilo	10
509	Blankets.		
510	Wool, velvets and plushes	Kilo	80
512	Woollen Ribbons	Kilo	50
513	Woollen Trimmings	Kilo	50
514	Woollen laces, tulles and net fabrics	Kilo	100

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Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
515	Woollen embroideries: Chemical (aerienne) embroidery and embroidery without visible ground, embroideries on other woollen fabrics with threads of products, yarns or worked with mother-of-pearl or precious metal yarns, beads, hezels or silk artificial and other textile fabrics	Kilo	100
	Note: In Items 507 to 515 the term 'wool' also includes soft wool.		
516	Fabrics and other articles of hair, pure or mixed, not elsewhere specified	Kilo	40
517	Fabrics and other articles of coarse hair not elsewhere specified	Kilo	40

Section 48

Cotton

518	Cotton:		
518A	Linter	Kilo	5
518B	Other kinds	Kilo	3
519	Cotton waste and devilled cotton, raw	Kilo	5
520	Cotton, cotton waste and devilled cotton, bleached or dyed	Kilo	10
521	Cotton, carded or combed	Kilo	15
	Note to Tariff Nos. 518, 519, 520, 521: Unless authorized by the Ministry of Commerce after approval by the High Council of Cotton, import is not authorized.		
522	Cotton thread or yarn, single, unbleached, bleached, dyed or printed, mercerized and glazed	Kilo	40
523	Cotton thread or yarn twisted	Kilo	40
	Note to Tariff Nos. 522 *and* 523: Except for plain cotton yarn and raw yarn and twisted yarn in any shape No. 60 and under, imports against these two headings are prohibited.		
526	Cotton thread or yarn put up for retail sale:		
526A	Bobbinet	Kilo	5
526B	As clew, slab, tubes, etc.	Kilo	30
527	Cotton fabrics, not figured:		
527D	Printed	Kilo	90
	Note: Unless authorized by the Ministry of Commerce after approval by the High Council of Cotton, import against Tariff No. 527D is not authorized.		
527F	Twisted by mercerized thread	Kilo	70
	Note: Import against Tariff No. 527F is not authorized except for fabrics made of completely mercerized yarn, plain.		
535	Cotton ribbons, of velvet or plush and others	Kilo	90
536A	Cotton trimmings	Kilo	90
536B	Shoe lace and boot lace	Kilo	40
537	Cotton tulles and net fabrics, plain	Kilo	100
538	Cotton tulles and net fabrics, figured	Kilo	100
539	Cotton laces	Kilo	100
540	Cotton embroideries: Chemical embroideries and those not visible, embroideries on tulles and other embroideries on cotton fabrics with precious metal fabrics or fabrics with precious stones or mother-of-pearl and fabrics of non-precious metals, beads, spangle, natural silk, artificial silk, or artificial yarns, or mixed with other materials	Kilo	100

Section 49

Flax, Hemp, Jute and other Vegetable Textile Materials

547	Jute yarns, raw, bleached, dyed, etc., single, twisted	Kilo	1
551	Fabrics of flax, hemp or ramie:		
551A	Not figured:		
551A-3	Printed or woven with threads of different colours	Kilo	20
551B	Figured, damask or broche	Kilo	30
552	Fabrics of flax, hemp, or ramie mixed with other textile materials:		
552A	Not figured:		
552A-3	Printed or woven with threads of different colours	Kilo	20
552B	Figured, damask or broche	Kilo	30
553	Fabrics of jute:		
553A	Not figured, raw	Kilo	4
553B	Others	Kilo	2
554	Fabrics of textile materials, Section 49, not elsewhere specified or included	Kilo	5
555	Velvets and plushes of flax, hemp, ramie, jute or other textile materials, Section 49	Kilo	40
557	Ribbons of textile materials, Section 49, of velvet or plush, or others	Kilo	40
558	Trimmings of textile materials, Section 49	Kilo	40
559	Lace, tulles and net fabrics, plain or figured textile materials, Section 49	Kilo	80
560	Embroidery of textile, Section 49: Chemical (aerienne) embroidery and embroidery without visible ground and others	Kilo	80
561	Fabrics and other articles of paper yarn not elsewhere specified or included	Kilo	60

Section 50

Wadding and Felts; Rope and Ropemakers' Wares; Special Fabrics and Articles used for Technical Purposes

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
562	Cotton, putified, washed and freed from grease (absorbent)	Kilo (with container)	30
563	Wadding and articles of wadding not elsewhere specified or included:		
563A	Of silk, artificial silk or artificial textile fibres	Kilo	25
563B	Of cotton, absorbent or aseptic wadding (cotton wool), of cellulose, absorbent or aseptic wadding, of other textile materiels	Kilo	10
563C	All kinds of linings even with warp and woof of all materials, fine or mixed	Kilo	10
	Note: Lining of fabrics are those that are used for lining purposes only, and have no other joint use.		
564	Felt dyed, raw, bleached or printed:		
564A	Containing silk, artificial silk or artificial textile fibre	Kilo	20
565	Finished articles of felt, simply cut out or blocked, whether or not glued	Kilo	40
566	Cabling, cordage and twine, whether plaited or not:		
566A	Of cotton	Kilo	10
566B	Other, except of paper	Kilo	7
567	Nets for fishing, hunting (carrying parcels by hand and other similar nets, of vegetable textiles)	Kilo	50
	Note: Except for fishing net, imports against Tariff Item No. 567 are not authorized.		
568	Ropemakers' wares not elsewhere specified or included	Kilo	70
572	Fabrics and felts covered with a coating having a basis of cellulose derivatives	Kilo	40
573	Waxed cloths and other fabrics or felts, oiled or covered with a coating having an oil basis:		
573A	Coarse oiled cloths for packing, tarpaulins and the like	—	Exempt
573B	For covering and similar purposes	Kilo	2
573C	Silk fabrics, silk artificial, oiled or mixed	Kilo	100
573D	Others	Kilo	50
574	Linoleum, lincrusta and similar articles with lining of fabric or felt	Kilo	80
574	Linoleum, lincrusta with lining of textile material or lining of paper	Kilo	30
575	Fabrics and felts, impregnated or coated with asphalt, tar or similar materials	Kilo	35
576	Elastic fabrics, ribbons and trimmings:		
576A	Of silk, pure or mixed	Kilo	100
576B	Of artificial silk or artificial textile materials, pure or mixed	Kilo	90
576C	Of wool, pure or mixed	Kilo	40
576D	Of others	Kilo	40
577	Rubber fabrics and felts, not elsewhere specified or included:		
577A	Of silk, artificial textile fibre, pure or mixed	Kilo	25
577B	Of other textile materials, pure or mixed	Kilo	25
578	Incandescent mantles, of textile materials	Kilo (with wrapper)	100
579	Other technical articles of textile materials, not elsewhere specified or included:		
579A	Wicks for lamps, candles or stoves with or without metal components	Kilo	25
579B	Others	Kilo	15

Section 51

Hosiery and Knitted Articles, Plain or Elastic

General Notes:

(1) The following items also include elastic or rubber hosiery, with the exception of elastic fabrics and ribbons in the piece, and articles coming under Item 593 and numbers mentioned in this Section.

(2) Hosiery materials cut out for particular purposes, in shapes other than squares or rectangles, and hosiery articles woven ready-shaped, are classified according to their character, under B to E of the appropriate sub-items of Items 580 to 583.

(3) Knitted articles – sewn and prepared (clothing, gloves, etc.) even if with trimmings shall fall under this Section.

580	Hosiery of silk, pure or mixed:		
580A	Knitted fabrics in the piece or rolls	Kilo	350
580C	Stockings and socks	Kilo (with wrapper)	800
	Note: Except for ladies' stockings imports against Tariff No. 580C are not authorized.		
581	Hosiery of artificial silk or artificial textile fibre, pure or mixed:		
581A	Knitted fabrics in the piece or unsewn rolls	Kilo	400
581C	Stockings and socks	Kilo (with wrapper)	1,200
	Note: Except for ladies' stockings imports against Tariff No. 581C are not authorized.		
581D	Underwear	Kilo	500
582	Hosiery of wool, soft wool, pure or mixed:		

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Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Unit	Commercial Benefit Tax (*In Rials unless otherwise shown*)
582A	Knitted fabrics in the piece or unsewn rolls	Kilo	200
583	Hosiery of cotton and other vegetable textile materials:		
583A	Knitted fabrics in piece or rolls, unsewn	Kilo	260
583C	Stockings and socks	Kilo	200
	Note: Except for medical (varris) stockings imports against Tariff No. 583C are not authorized.		
	Section 52		
	Clothing, Lounge Wear, and other made-up Articles		
586	Outer clothing and underwear made of rubbered or oiled fabrics or felts or plastics or chemical materials and the likes and other special fabrics, Section 50:		
586A	Of silk, artificial silk or artificial textile fibre, pure or mixed	Kilo	300
596B	Of other textile materials	Kilo	300
588	Underwear for women, not elsewhere specified or included:		
588B	Of artificial silk or artificial textile fibre	Kilo	800
588C	Of wool	Kilo	300
588D	Of cotton, flax or other textile materials:		
588D-1	Sanitary towels with paper attachments, etc.	Kilo	50
593	Corsets, corset belts, or bust-bodices braces, suspenders and other similar articles:		
593A	Of silk, artificial silk or other artificial fibres, pure or mixed:		
593A-1	Corsets, corset belt of artificial or natural silk, of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593A-2	Belt of natural silk, artificial silk of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593A-3	Brassiere made of natural silk, artificial silk, of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593A-4	Suspenders made of natural silk of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593A-5	Garters made of natural silk, artificial silk, of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593A-6	Other similar articles made of natural silk, artificial silk, of artificial fibres, pure or mixed	*Ad val.*	125%
593B	Of other textile materials:		
593B-1	Corsets, corset belts of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
593B-2	Belts of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
593B-3	Brassieres made of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
593B-4	Suspenders made of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
593B-5	Garters made of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
593B-6	Other similar articles made of other textile materials	*Ad val.*	75%
594A-2	Gunny bags of jute fabrics	Kilo	4
	Section 53		
	Rags, Used.		
598	New waste of fabrics, felt and of hosiery manufacture, tailers' salvages and clippings, not suitable to their original use	Kilo	200

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IRAQ

Commercial Agency Law

INSTRUCTIONS were issued in Iraq on June 21, 1962 clarifying certain aspects of the Commercial Agency Law, details of which were published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on December 22, 1961 (page 1273).

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Revision of Customs Tariff

A NOTICE was published in the *Board of Trade Journal* of July 20, 1962 (page 159) about amendments to the Iraqi Customs Tariff Law. The first part of the Schedule, giving full details of the new rates of duty is published below and the remainder will be published in next week's issue of the *Board of Trade Journal*. Items on which the duty has remained the same are not included.

Note: One Iraqi dinar is equal to one pound sterling. One dinar is divided into one thousand fils.

Section I

Item No.	Designation of Goods	Unit	Rate of Duty I.D. Fils
	CHAPTER 2		
	Meat and Edible Meat Offals		
02.01/02.05	Meat and edible offals, fresh, chilled or frozen:		
	(a) Pork	K.N.	— 400
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 200
02.06	Meat and edible meat offals, salted, in brine, dried or smoked:		
	(a) Ham and bacon	K.N.	— 400
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 200
	CHAPTER 3		
	Fish, Crustaceans and Molluscs		
03.01	Fish, fresh (live or dead), chilled or frozen	Value	50%
03.02	Fish, salted in brine, dried or smoked	Value	50%
03.03	Crustaceans and molluscs, whether in shell or not, fresh (live or dead), chilled, frozen, salted, in brine or dried; crustaceans, in shell, simply boiled in water	Value	100%
	CHAPTER 4		
	Dairy Produce; Birds' Eggs; Natural Honey		
04.01	Milk and cream, fresh, not concentrated or sweetened:		
	(a) Milk	Litre	— 80
	(b) Cream	K.N.	— 150
04.02	Milk and cream, preserved, concentrated or sweetened:		
	(a) Milk:		
	1. Unsweetened:		
	A. Dry	K.N.	— 20
	B. Other	K.N.	— 80
	2. Sweetened	K.N.	— 100
	(b) Cream	K.N.	— 150
04.03	Butter:		
	(a) Ghee	K.N.	— 225
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 225
04.04	Cheese and curd:		
	(a) White cheese	K.N.	— 125
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 125
04.06	Natural honey	K.N.	— 200

Section II

Item No.	Designation of Goods	Unit	Rate of Duty I.D. Fils
	CHAPTER 7		
	Edible Vegetables and certain Roots and Tubers		
07.01/07.02	Vegetables, fresh, chilled or preserved by freezing:		
	(a) Olives and capers	K.N.	— 110
07.03	Vegetables provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions:		
	(a) Olives	K.N.	— 110
	(b) Capers	K.N.	— 110
	(c) Other	Value	50%
	CHAPTER 8		
	Edible Fruit and Nuts; Peel of Melons or Citrus Fruit		
08.03	Figs, fresh or dried	K.N.	— 30
08.04	Grapes, fresh or dried:		
	(a) Fresh	K.N.	— 40
	(b) Dried	K.N.	— 20
08.05	Nuts, other than those falling within heading No. 08.01, fresh or dried, shelled or not:		
	(a) Almonds:		
	1. In the shell:		
	A. Khatouni variety	K.N.	— 60
	B. Other varieties	K.N.	— 30
	2. Shelled	K.N.	— 100
	(b) Pistachio-nuts:		
	1. In the shell	K.N.	— 100
	2. Shelled	K.N.	— 140
	(d) Hazel-nuts and walnuts:		
	1. In the shell	K.N.	— 30
	2. Shelled	K.N.	— 50
08.10/08.11	Fruit, preserved by freezing, not containing added sugar, and fruit provisionally preserved in brine, in sulphur water or in other preservative solutions but not especially prepared for direct consumption	Value	100%
08.12	Fruit, dried, other than that falling within heading No. 08.01, 08.02, 08.03, 08.04 or 08.05:		
	(a) Apricots	K.N.	— 20
	CHAPTER 9		
	Coffee, Tea, Mate and Spices		
09.01	Coffee, whether or not roasted or freed of caffeine, coffee husks and skins, coffee substitutes containing coffee in any proportion:		
	(a) Coffee and coffee husks and skins, not roasted	K.N.	— 75
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 150
09.04	Pepper of the genus Piper; pimento of the genus Capsicum or the genus Pimenta	Value or K.N.	25% — 50 whichever is more
09.06	Cinnamon (including cinnamonum cassia) and cinnamon-tree flowers	Value or K.N.	15% — 25 whichever is more
09.07	Cloves (whole fruit, cloves and stems)	Value or K.N.	15% — 40 whichever is more
09.08	Nutmeg, mace and cardamoms:		
	(a) Nutmeg	Value or K.N.	15% — 60 whichever is more
	(b) Mace and cardamoms	Value or K.N.	15% — 150 whichever is more
09.10	Thyme, saffron and bay leaves; other spices:		
	(b) Ginger (dried)	Value or K.N.	20% — 20 whichever is more
	(d) Chillies, chilli powder and curry powder	Value or K.N.	15% — 25 whichever is more
	CHAPTER 11		
	Products of the Milling Industry; Malt and Starches; Gluten; Inulin		
11.01	Cereal flours:		
	(a) In tins or other packings not exceeding a net weight of 5 kilogrammes	K.N.	— 45
11.08	Starches; inulin	K.N.	— 15
11.09	Gluten and gluten flour, roasted or not	Value	15%
	CHAPTER 12		
	Oil Seeds and Oleaginous Fruit; Miscellaneous Grains; Seeds and Fruit; Industrial and Medical Plants; Straw and Fodder		
12.01/12.02	Oil seeds and oleaginous fruit, whether or not crushed or ground (excluding mustard flour):		
	(c) Marrow seeds:		
	2. For other purposes	K.N.	— 75
	CHAPTER 13		
	Raw Vegetable Materials of a Kind Suitable for Use in Dyeing or in Tanning; Lacs; Gums, Resins and Other Vegetable Saps and Extracts		
13.01	Raw vegetable materials of a kind used primarily in dyeing or in tanning:		
	(a) Henna:		
	1. In leaves	K.N.	— 50
	2. Other	K.N.	— 100

Section III

Item No.	Designation of Goods	Unit	Rate of Duty I.D. Fils
	CHAPTER 15		
	Animal and Vegetable Fats and Oils and Their Cleavage Products; Prepared Edible Fats; Animal and Vegetable Waxes		
15.04	Fats and oils of fish and marine mammals, whether or not refined:		
	(a) Cod liver oil	Value	15%
15.09	Degras		Free

Section IV

Item No.	Designation of Goods	Unit	Rate of Duty I.D. Fils
	Prepared Foodstuffs, Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar; Tobacco		
	CHAPTER 16		
	Preparations of Meat, of Fish, of Crustaceans or Molluscs		
16.01	Sausages and the like, of meat, meat offal or animal blood:		
	(a) Of pork	K.N.	— 500
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 300
16.02	Other prepared or preserved meat or meat offal:		
	(a) Pork and ham	K.N.	— 450
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 250
16.04	Prepared or preserved fish, including caviar and caviar substitutes:		
	(a) Caviar and caviar substitutes	Value	100%
	(b) Fish	Value	50%
16.05	Crustaceans and molluscs, prepared or preserved	Value	100%
	CHAPTER 17		
	Sugars and Sugar Confectionery		
17.02	Other sugars; sugar syrups; artificial honey (whether or not mixed with natural honey); caramel (burnt sugar):		
	(a) Artificial honey (whether or not mixed with natural honey)	K.N.	— 200
17.04	Sugar confectionery, not containing cocoa:		
	(a) Liquorice extract containing more than 10 per cent. by weight of sugar or put up as confectionery	K.N.	— 225
	(b) Marzipan, nougat and the like	K.N.	— 225

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Item No.	Designation of Goods	Unit	Rate of Duty I.D. Fils
	(c) Sugar bonbons, dragees, pastilles, caramels and other	K.N.	— 225
17.05	Flavoured or coloured sugars, syrups and molasses, but not including fruit juices containing added sugar in any proportion	K.N.	— 100
	CHAPTER 18		
	Cocoa and Cocoa Preparations		
18.05	Cocoa powder, unsweetened	K.N.	— 100
18.06	Chocolate and other food preparations containing cocoa	K.N.	— 225
	CHAPTER 19		
	Preparations of Cereals, Flour or Starch; Pastrycooks' Products		
19.05	Prepared foods obtained by the swelling or roasting of cereals or cereal products (puffed rice, corn flakes and similar products)	K.N.	— 100
19.07	Bread, ships' biscuits and other ordinary bakers' wares, not containing sugar, honey, eggs, fats, cheese or fruit	K.N.	— 150
19.08	Pastry, biscuits, cakes and other fine bakers' wares, whether or not containing cocoa in any proportion	K.N.	— 200
	CHAPTER 20		
	Preparations of Vegetables, Fruits, or Other Parts of Plants		
20.01/20.02	Vegetables prepared or preserved, with or without sugar, whether or not containing salt, spices or mustard:		
	(a) Mushrooms and truffles	K.N.	— 300
	(c) Olives and capers	K.N.	— 200
	(e) Other	K.N.	— 120
20.03/20.06	Fruit prepared or preserved, whether or not containing added sugar or spirit; parts of plants preserved by sugar:		
	(a) Fruit, fruit-peel, and parts of plants preserved by sugar (drained, glace or crystallized)	K.N.	— 200
	(b) Jams, fruit jellies, marmalades, fruit puree and fruit pastes, being cooked preparations:		
	1. Apricot paste (kamar-al-din)	K.N.	— 40
	2. Other	K.N.	— 100
	(c) Fruit otherwise prepared or preserved:		
	1. Fruit preserved in alcohol	K.N.	2 500
	2. Nuts of all kinds, roasted	K.N.	— 200
	3. Other	K.N.	— 120
20.07	Fruit juices (including grape must) and vegetable juices, whether or not containing added sugar, but unfermented and not containing spirit:		
	(a) Date syrup (date juice)	K.N.	— 100
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 100
	CHAPTER 21		
	Miscellaneous Edible Preparations		
21.02	Extracts, essences or concentrates of coffee, tea or mate; preparations with a basis of those extracts, essences or concentrates	Value	75%
21.03	Mustard flour and prepared mustard	Value	75%
21.04	Sauces; mixed condiments and mixed seasoning	Value	75%
21.05	Soups and broths, in liquid, solid or powder form	Value	75%
21.07	Food preparations not elsewhere specified or included:		
	(a) Non-alcoholic preparations (compound extracts) used for making beverages	Value	75%
	(b) Other	Value	75%
	CHAPTER 22		
	Beverages, Spirits and Vinegar		
22.01	Waters, including spa waters and aerated waters; ice and snow	Value	100%
22.02	Lemonade flavoured spa waters and aerated waters and other non-alcoholic beverages, not including fruit and vegetable juices falling within heading No. 20.07	Value	100%
22.03	Beer made from malt:		
	(a) Porter (including stout)	Litre	— 250
	(b) Other	Litre	— 250
22.04/22.06	Wine of fresh grapes; grape must, in fermentation, or with fermentation arrested by the addition of alcohol or otherwise:		
	(a) Sparkling wine:		
	1. Champagne	Litre	1 500
	2. Other	Litre	1 500
22.07	Other fermented beverages (for example, cider, perry and mead)	Litre	— 750
22.08	Ethyl alcohol or neutral spirits (including the same denatured):		
	(a) undenatured	Litre of London Proof Strength	2 000
	(b) denatured	Litre	— 100
22.09	Spirits of all kinds (potable); liqueurs and other spirituous beverages; compound alcoholic preparations known as 'concentrated extracts' for the manufacture of beverages:		
	(a) Spirits of all kinds (potable):		
	1. Whisky, brandy, gin, araq and rum	Litre of London Proof Strength	3 300
	2. Other potable spirits	Litre of London Proof Strength	3 300
	(b) Liqueurs and other sweetened spirituous beverages	Litre	2 500
	(c) Other	Litre of London Proof Strength	2 250
	CHAPTER 24		
	Tobacco		
24.02	Manufactured tobacco; tobacco extracts and essences:		
	(a) Smoking and chewing tobacco	K.N.	3 500
	(c) Cigars	Value	250%

Section V

Mineral Products

	CHAPTER 25		
	Salt; Sulphur; Earths and Stone; Plastering Materials, Lime and Cement		
25.01	Common salt (including rock salt, sea salt and table salt); pure sodium chloride; sea water:		
	(a) Salt fit for human consumption	K.N.	— 50
25.15/25.16	Monumental and building stone, including such stone not further worked than roughly split, roughly squared or squared by sawing:		
	(a) Marble, alabaster and serpentine	Value	25%
	(b) Granite, porphyry, syenite and similar hard stone	Value	25%
	(c) Other	Value	11%
25.22	Quicklime, slaked lime and hydraulic lime, other than calcium oxide and hydroxide	Value	11%
25.23	Portland cement, cement fondeu, slag cement, super sulphate cement and similar hydraulic cements, whether or not coloured or in the form of clinker:		
	(a) Portland cement super sulphate	K.N.	— 003
	(b) Other	K.N.	— 002
25.26	Mica, including splittings; mica waste	—	Free
	CHAPTER 27		
	Mineral Fuels, Mineral Oils and Products of their Distillation; Bituminous Substances; Mineral Waxes		
27.04/27.05	Coke and semi-coke of coal, or lignite or of peat; gas carbon	—	Free
27.06/27.10	Petroleum and shale oils; mineral tars; oils and products of the distillation of mineral tars; preparations not elsewhere specified or included, containing not less than 70 per cent. by weight of mineral oils, these oils being the basic constituents of the preparations:		
	(a) Tar and pich	Value	11%
	(c) Other:		
	(1) Refined oils having a flash point by close test lower than 35 degrees Centigrade:		
	A. Motor spirit and similar inflammable liquids capable of being used for internal combustion engines	10 Litres	— 165
	B. For other purposes	10 Litres	— 165
	(3) Other oils and products:		
	A. Lubricating oils (other than those falling within heading No. 34.03)	K.G.	— 15
27.12	Petroleum jelly	Value	15%
27.13	Paraffin wax, micro-crystalline wax, slack wax, ozokerite, lignite wax, peat wax and other mineral wax, whether or not coloured	Value	15%
27.14/27.16	Petroleum bitumen, petroleum coke and other petroleum and shale oil residues; bitumen and asphalt natural; bituminous shale, asphaltic rock and tar sands; bituminous mixtures based on natural asphalt, on natural bitumen, on petroleum bitumen, on mineral tar or on mineral tar pitch (for example, bituminous mastics, cut-backs)	Value	15%
	CHAPTER 35		
	Albuminoidal Substances; Glues		
35.01/35.06	Casein, albumins, gelatin, peptones and their derivatives; dextrines and soluble or roasted starches; glues; isinglass; hide powder, whether or not chromed:		
	(a) Glues, dextrines and soluble or roasted starches:		
	2. Other:		
	A. Dextrines and soluble or roasted starches	Value	20%
	CHAPTER 36		
	Explosives; Pyrotechnic Products; Matches; Pyrophoric Alloys; Certain Combustible Preparations		
36.07	Ferro-cerium and other pyrophoric alloys in all forms	Value	60%
36.08	Other combustible preparations and products:		
	(a) Liquid fuels in containers of a capacity not exceeding 300 cubic centimetres	K.G.	— 75

Section VII

Artificial Resins and Plastic Materials, Cellulose Esters and Ethers and Articles Thereof; Rubber, Synthetic Rubbers, Factice and Articles Thereof

	CHAPTER 39		
	Artificial Resins and Plastic Materials, Cellulose Esters and Ethers; Articles Thereof		
39.01/39.06	Artificial resins and plastic materials, cellulose esters and ethers, including natural resins modified by fusion, chemical derivatives of natural rubber, vulcanized fibre and linoxyn:		
	(b) Monofil of which any cross-section dimension exceeds one millimetre; seamless tubes, rods, sticks and profile shapes, whether or not surface-worked but not otherwise worked	Value	15%

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39.07	Article of materials of the kinds described in heading No. 39.01/39.06:		
	(b) Other	Value	50%
	CHAPTER 40		
	Rubber, Synthetic Rubbers, Factice and Articles Thereof		
	I. Raw Rubber		
40.01/40.04	Raw rubber, whether or not containing fillers, vulcanizing agents, accelerators or colouring matter; waste, parings and powder of rubber; scrap of rubber, fit only for the recovery of rubber	—	Free
	III. Articles of Unhardened Vulcanized Rubber		
40.09	Piping and tubing, of unhardened vulcanized rubber:		
	(b) Other	Value	15%
	Section VIII		
	Raw-Hides and Skins, Leather, Furskins and Articles Thereof; Saddlery and Harness; Travel Goods, Handbags and the Like; Articles of Gut (other than Silk-Worm Gut)		
	CHAPTER 41		
	Raw Hides and Skins (other than Furskins) and Leather		
41.02	Bovine cattle leather (including buffalo leather) and equine leather, except leather falling within heading No. 41.06/41.07 or 41.08:		
	(a) Sole leather	Value	50%
	(b) Other:		
	1. Simply tanned	Value	30%
	2. Further treated:		
	(a) Calf leather	Value	30%
	(b) Other	Value	30%
41.03/41.04	Sheep and lamb skin leather, and goat and kid skin leather, except leather falling within heading No. 41.06/41.07 or 41.08:		
	(a) Simply tanned	Value	30%
	(b) Further treated	Value	30%
41.05	Other kinds of leather, except leather falling within heading No. 41.06/41.07 or 41.08:		
	(a) Of reptiles or fish	Value	30%
	(b) Other	Value	30%
41.06/41.07	Chamois-dressed or parchment-dressed leather	Value	30%
41.08	Patent leather and metallized leather	Value	30%
41.10	Composition leather with a basis of leather or leather fibre, in slabs, in sheets or in rolls	Value	30%
	CHAPTER 42		
	Articles of Leather; Saddlery and Harness; Travel Goods, Handbags and the Like; Articles of Animal Gut (other than Silk-Worm Gut)		
42.02	Travel goods (for example, trunks, suit-cases, hat-boxes, travelling bags, haversacks, knapsacks, rucksacks, kitbags), handbags, wallets, purses, satchels, brief-cases, collar-boxes, dressing cases, pouches, toilet-bags, tool-cases and similar containers, of leather or of composition leather, of vulcanized fibre, or artificial plastic sheeting, of paperboard or of textile fabric:		
	(a) Of leather or of composition leather	Value	60%
	(b) Of vulcanized fibre or of paper board	Value	40%
	(c) Other	Value	60%
42.03	Articles of apparel and clothing accessories, of leather or of composition leather:		
	(a) Gloves	Value	60%
	(b) Other	Value	60%
42.05	Other articles of leather or of composition leather	Value	60%
	CHAPTER 43		
	Furskins and Artificial Fur; Manufactures Thereof		
43.02/43.03	Furskins, tanned or dressed and articles of furskin:		
	(a) Furskins, tanned or dressed but not made up	Value	50%
	(b) Other	Value	75%
43.04	Artificial fur and articles made thereof	Value	75%
	Section IX		
	Wood and Articles of Wood; Charcoal Cork and Articles of Cork; Manufactures of Straw, of Esparto and of Other Plaiting Materials; Basketware and Wickerwork		
	CHAPTER 44		
	Wood and Articles of Wood; Wood Charcoal		
44.19/44.20	Wooden beadings and mouldings, including moulded skirting and other moulded boards; wooden picture frames, photograph frames, mirror frames and the like	Value	50%
44.22	Casks, barrels, vats, tubs buckets and other coopers' products and parts thereof, of wood, other than staves falling within heading No. 44.08/44.10	Value	15%
44.23	Builders' carpentry and joinery (including prefabricated and sectional buildings and assembled parquet flooring panels)	Value	30%
44.24	Household utensils of wood	Value	30%
44.26	Spools, cops, bobbins, sewing thread reels and the like, of turned wood	Value	30%
44.27	Standard lamps, table lamps and other lighting fittings, of wood; articles of furniture, of wood, not falling within Chapter 94; caskets, cigarette boxes, trays, fruit bowls, ornaments and other fancy articles of wood; cases for cutlery, for drawing instruments or for violins, and similar receptacles of wood; articles of wood for personal use or adornment, of a kind normally carried in the pocket, in the handbag or on the person; parts of the foregoing articles, of wood	Value	60%
44.28	Other articles of wood:		
	(a) Trunks, suit-cases and the like	Value	60%
	(b) Other	Value	30%
	CHAPTER 45		
	Cork and Articles of Cork		
45.01/45.04	Cork and articles of cork:		
	(b) Stoppers	Value	15%
	Section X		
	Paper-Making Material; Paper and Paperboard and Articles Thereof		
	CHAPTER 48		
	Paper and Paperboard; Articles of Paper Pulp, of Paper or of Paperboard		
	I. Paper and Paperboard, in Rolls or in Sheets		
48.01/48.04	Paper and paperboard (including cellulose wadding), in rolls or sheets:		
	(a) Printing and writing paper:		
	2. Other	Value	15%
	(d) Common paperboard	Value	15%
	(e) Common wrapping paper	Value	10%
48.06	Paper and paperboard, ruled, lined or squared, but not otherwise printed, in rolls or sheets	Value	15%
48.07	Paper and paperboard, impregnated, coated, surface-coloured, surface-decorated or printed (not being merely ruled, lined or squared and not constituting printed matter falling within Chapter 49), in rolls or sheets:		
	(a) Oiled or waxed	Value	10%
	II. Paper and Paperboard cut to size or shape and Articles of Paper or Paperboard		
48.10	Cigarette paper in strips or rolls of a width not exceeding 15 centimetres, or cut to size, whether or not in the form of booklets or tubes:		
	(b) Cut to size, whether or not in the form of booklets or tubes	50 No. of cigarette paper or tubes	— 3
48.13	Carbon and other copying papers (including duplicator stencils) and transfer papers, cut to size, whether or not put up in boxes	Value	15%
48.15	Other paper and paperboard, cut to size or shape:		
	(b) Toilet paper	Value	30%
	(c) Other	Value	25%
48.16/48.17	Boxes, bags and other packing containers, box files, letter trays, storage boxes and similar articles of a kind commonly used in offices, shops and the like, of paper or paperboard:		
	(a) Paper bags	Value	25%
	(b) Other	Value	20%
48.18/48.19	Registers, exercise books, note books, memorandum blocks, order books, receipt books, diaries, blotting-pads, binders (loose-leaf or other), file covers and other stationery of paper or paperboard; sample and other albums and book covers, of paper or paperboard; paper or paperboard labels, whether or not printed or gummed	Value	25%
	CHAPTER 49		
	Printed Books Newspapers, Pictures and Other Products of the Printing Industry; Manuscripts, Typescripts and Plans		
49.10	Calendars of any kind, of paper or paperboard, including calendar blocks	Value	30%
	Section XI		
	Textiles and Textile Articles		
	CHAPTER 50		
	Silk and Waste Silk		
50.09/50.10	Woven fabrics of silk or of noil or other waste silk:		
	(a) Tussore, habutai, fuji and similar fabrics:		
	1. Unbleached, bleached or dyed in one colour, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 90 grammes	K.N.	2 500
	B. 90 grammes and more	K.N.	2 250
	2. Other, including ornamented or figured, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 90 grammes	K.N.	3 500
	B. 90 grammes and more	K.N.	2 800
	(b) Other, weighing per square metre:		
	1. Less than 50 grammes	K.N.	5
	2. 50 grammes and more but less than 90 grammes	K.N.	3 500
	3. 90 grammes and more	K.N.	2 500
	CHAPTER 51		
	Man-Made Fibres (Continuous)		
51.03	Yarn of man-made fibres (continuous), put up for retail sale	K.N.	— 400
51.04	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (continuous), including woven fabrics of monofil or strip of heading No. 51.01 or 51.02:		
	(a) Man-made:		
	(1) Fabrics of monofil or strip	K.N.	— 900
	(2) Other	K.N.	— 900

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	CHAPTER 53		
	Wool and other Animal Hair		
53.11	Woven fabrics of sheep's or lambs' wool or of fine animal hair:		
	(a) Pure or mixed with other textile materials in a proportion not exceeding 10 per cent. by weight:		
	1. Flannels and chokhs, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 300 grammes	Value	35%
	B. 300 grammes and more	Value	35%
	2. Other, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 180 grammes	Value	35%
	B. 180 grammes and more but less than 240 grammes	Value	35%
	C. 240 grammes and more but less than 300 grammes	Value	35%
	D. 300 grammes and more but less than 480 grammes	Value	35%
	E. 480 grammes and more	Value	35%
	(b) Mixed with other textile materials (except silk or waste silk) in a proportion exceeding 10 per cent. by weight, wool predominating in weight over any other single textile material:		
	1. Flannels and chokhs, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 300 grammes	Value	35%
	B. 300 grammes and more	Value	35%
	2. Other, weighing per square metre:		
	A. Less than 180 grammes	Value	35%
	B. 180 grammes and more but less than 240 grammes	Value	35%
	C. 240 grammes and more but less than 300 grammes	Value	35%
	D. 300 grammes and more but less than 480 grammes	Value	35%
	E. 480 grammes and more	Value	35%
	CHAPTER 56		
	Man-made Fibres (Discontinuous)		
56.05	Yarn of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste), not put up for retail sale	K.N.	— 90
56.07	Woven fabrics of man-made fibres (discontinuous or waste):		
	(a) Of synthetic textiles (nylon, orlon, perlon, etc.)	K.N.	— 900
	CHAPTER 58		
	Carpets, Mats, Matting and Tapestries; Pile and Chenille Fabrics; Narrow Fabrics; Trimmings; Tulle and Other Net Fabrics; Lace; Embroidery		
58.01	Carpets, carpeting and rugs, knotted (made up or not):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	40%
	(c) Other	Value	40%
58.02	Other carpets, carpeting, rugs, mats and matting, and 'Kelem', 'Schumacks' and 'Karamanie' rugs and the like (made up or not):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	40%
	(c) Of cotton:		
	1. Mats (including dhurries)	Value	25%
	2. Other	Value	30%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
58.03	Tapestries, hand-made, of the type Gobelins, Flanders, Aubussion, Beauvais and the like, and needle-worked tapestries (for example, petit point and cross stitch) made in panels and the like by hand:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Other	Value	50%
58.04	Woven pile fabrics and chenille fabrics (other than terry towelling or similar terry fabrics of cotton falling within heading No. 55.08 and fabrics falling within heading No. 58.05):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	25%
58.05	Narrow woven fabrics, and narrow fabrics (bolduc) consisting of warp without weft assembled by means of an adhesive, other than goods falling within heading No. 58.06:		
	(a) Of silk or waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres or of metallized yarn	Value	40%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	25%
58.07	Chenille yarn, gimped yarn (other than metallized yarn of heading No. 52.01 and gimped horsehair yarn) braids and ornamental trimmings in the piece, tassels, pompons and the like:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres or of metallized yarn	Value	40%
	(c) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
58.08	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), plain:		
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
58.09	Tulle and other net fabrics (but not including woven, knitted or crocheted fabrics), figured; hand or mechanically made lace, in the piece, in strips or in motifs:		
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
58.10	Embroidery, in the piece, in strips or in motifs:		
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of metallized yarn	Value	40%
	(d) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(e) Of cotton:		
	2. Other	Value	30%

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	CHAPTER 59		
	Wadding and Felt; Twine, Cordage, Ropes and Cables; Special Fabrics; Impregnated and Coated Fabrics; Textile Articles of a Kind Suitable for Industrial Use		
59.02/59.03	Felt and bonded fibre fabrics and articles thereof, whether or not impregnated or coated:		
	(a) Felt and bonded fibre fabrics	Value	20%
	CHAPTER 60		
	Knitted and Crocheted Goods		
60.01	Knitted or crocheted fabric, not elastic nor rubberized:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
60.02	Gloves, mittens and mitts, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
60.03	Stockings, under stockings, socks, ankle-socks, sockettes and the like, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres:		
	1. Of synthetic textiles (nylon, orlon, etc.)	Value	50%
	2. Of artificial textiles	Value	50%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	K.N.	— 500
	(d) Of cotton	K.N.	— 300
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
60.04/60.05	Under garments, outer garments and other articles, knitted or crocheted, not elastic nor rubberized:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
60.06	Knitted or crocheted fabric and articles thereof, elastic or rubberized (including elastic knee-caps and elastic stockings):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
	CHAPTER 61		
	Articles of Apparel and Clothing Accessories of Textile Fabric, other than Knitted or Crocheted Goods		
61.01/61.02	Men's, women's and children's outer garments:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	30%
61.03/61.04	Men's, women's and children's under garments, including men's and boys' collars, shirt fronts and cuffs:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
61.05/61.06	Handkerchiefs, shawls, scarves, mufflers, mantillas, veils and the like:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(e) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
61.07	Ties, bow ties and cravats:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of other textile materials	Value	35%
61.08	Collars, tuckers, fallals, bodice-fronts, jabots, cuffs, flounces, yokes and similar accessories and trimmings for women's and girls' garments:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
61.09	Corsets, corset-belts, suspender-belts, brassieres, braces, suspenders, garters and the like (including such articles of knitted or crocheted fabric), whether or not elastic:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
61.10	Gloves, mittens, mitts, stockings, socks and sockettes, not being knitted or crocheted goods:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	50%
	(c) Of other textile materials	Value	35%
61.11	Made-up accessories for articles of apparel (for example, dress shields, shoulder and other pads, belts, muffs, sleeve protectors, pockets):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair:		
	2. Other	Value	35%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	25%
	CHAPTER 62		
	Other Made-Up Textile Articles		
62.01	Rugs (including travelling rugs) and blankets:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk or of man-made fibres	Value	60%

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	(b) Of wool or of fine animal hair:		
	1. Pure or mixed with other textile materials in a proportion not exceeding 10 per cent. by weight	K.N.	— 400
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
62.02	Bed linen, table linen, toilet linen and kitchen linen; curtains and other furnishing articles:		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of cotton	Value	30%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	30%
62.05	Other made-up textile articles (including dress patterns):		
	(a) Of silk or of waste silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of man-made fibres	Value	40%
	(c) Of wool or of fine animal hair	Value	35%
	(d) Of other textile materials	Value	25%
	CHAPTER 65 *Headgear and Parts Thereof*		
65.03/65.06	Sidaras, hats, helmets, caps, berets, fezzes and other headgear:		
	(a) Of silk	Value	60%
	(b) Of wool or of fur felt	Value	50%
	(c) Of other materials	Value	50%
	CHAPTER 66 *Umbrellas, Sunshades, Walking-Sticks, Whips, Riding-Crops and Parts Thereof*		
66.01	Umbrellas and sunshades (including walking-stick umbrellas, umbrella tents, and garden and similar umbrellas)	Value	50%
66.02	Walking-sticks (including climbing-sticks and seat-sticks), canes, whips, riding-crops and the like	Value	75%
	CHAPTER 67 *Prepared Feathers and Down and Articles Made of Feathers or of Down; Artificial Flowers; Articles of Human Hair; Fans*		
67.02	Artificial flowers, foliage or fruit and parts thereof; articles made of artificial flowers, foliage or fruit:		
	(a) Wreaths for tombs and graves	Value	25%
	(b) Other	Value	75%
67.03/67.04	Human hair, dressed, thinned, bleached or otherwise worked; wool or other animal hair prepared for use in making wigs and the like; wigs, false beards, hair pads, curls, switches and the like, of human or animal hair or of textiles; other articles of human hair (including hair nets)	Value	75%
67.05	Fans and hand screens, non-mechanical, of any material; frames and handles therefor and parts of such frames and handles, of any material	Value	75%
	Section XIII *Articles of Stone, of Plaster, of Cement, of Asbestos, of Mica and of Similar Materials; Ceramic Products; Glass and Glassware*		
	CHAPTER 68 *Articles of Stone, of Plaster, of Cement, of Asbestos, of Mica and of Similar Materials*		
68.01	Road and paving setts, curbs and flagstones of natural stone (except slate)	Value	11%
68.02/68.03	Worked monumental or building stone and worked slate; articles thereof, including mosaic cubes and articles of agglomerated slate:		
	(a) Tomb-stones	Value	11%
	(b) Other	Value	25%
68.11	Articles of cement, of concrete or of artificial stone (including granulated marble agglomerated with cement), reinforced or not:		
	(a) Piping, conduits and guttering (including angles, bends and similar fittings)	Value	25%
	(b) Other	Value	25%
68.12	Articles of asbestos-cement, of cellulose fibre-cement or the like:		
	(a) Piping, conduits and guttering (including angles, bends and similar fittings)	Value	25%
	(b) Other	Value	25%
	CHAPTER 69 *Ceramic Products*		
69.11	Tableware and other articles of a kind commonly used for domestic or toilet purposes, of porcelain or china (including biscuit porcelain and parian)	K.G.	— 25
69.12	Tableware and other articles of a kind commonly used for domestic or toilet purposes, of other kinds of pottery	K.G.	— 20
69.13	Statuettes and other ornaments, and articles of personal adornment; articles of furniture	Value	75%
	CHAPTER 70 *Glass and Glassware*		
70.19	Glass beads, imitation pearls, imitation precious and semi-precious stones, fragments and chippings, and similar fancy or decorative glass smallwares, and articles of glassware made therefrom; glass cubes and small glass plates, whether or not on a backing, for mosaics and similar decorative purposes; artificial eyes, of glass, including those for toys but excluding those for wear by humans; ornaments and other fancy articles of lamp-worked glass; glass grains (ballotini):		
	(a) Bangles and imitation pearls	Value	50%
	(b) Other	Value	40%

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LEBANON

Customs Tariff Amendment

THE Lebanese Customs Tariff has been amended as shown below. Additions to the text are given in italics, square brackets indicate deletions.

Tariff No.	Description	Unit	Rate of Duty	
			New	Old
22-09	Spirits (other than those of heading No. 22-08), liqueurs and other spirituous beverages; compound alcoholic preparations (known as 'concentrated extracts') for the manufacture of beverages:			
	(a) Unchanged			
	(b) Unchanged			
	(c) Other (4) (5):			
	1. Whisky	Litre	600 piastres	
	2. Other	*Ad val.*		60%
	[3. Less than 25% proof]			
	[4. Between 25% and 50% proof]			
	[5. 50% proof and over]			
29-43	Sugars chemically pure other than sucrose:			
	(a) Lactose *and glucose*	*Ad val.*		11%
	(b) Other	*Ad val.*		25%
37-07	Other cinematograph film:			
	(1) Scientific films dealing with hygiene publicity	*Ad val.*	Unchanged	
	(2) Other:			
	(a) Positive:			
	(1) Silent			
	(2) Sound			
	(a) *Documentary films of 16 mm. and newsreels*	K. Nett	800 piastres	2,500 piastres
	Reconstruction tax	K. Nett	300 piastres	1,000 piastres
	(b) Other		Unchanged	
53-05	Sheep's or lamb's wool (fine or coarse) carded or combed:			
	(a) Containing at least 80% by weight of such textile materials:			
	1. *Sheep's or lamb's wool, carded or combed*	*Ad val.*		Exempt
70-05	Unworked, drawn or blown glass including flasked glass:			
	(a) Obtained by the so-calld 'Pittsburgh' or 'Libbey Owens' processes	*Ad val.*	11%	12 piastres
	(b) Other	K. Nett	12 piastres	
	Minimum Duty	*Ad val.*	40%	
73-07	Iron and steel:			
	(a) Blooms and billets	*Ad val.*	Exempt	11%
	(b) Other	*Ad val.*		
76-04	Aluminium foil			
	(a) Aluminium foil whether or not backed with paper weighing up too 200 grams per m.2 of thickness not exceeding 0·1 mm. (excluding backing)	*Ad val.*		Exempt
	(b) Other	*Ad val.*		25%
85-27	*Electrical conduit tubing and* joints therefor	*Ad val.*	40%	25%
87-02	Motor vehicles:			
	(a) For the transport of persons		Unchanged	
	(b) Dumpers		Unchanged	
	(c) *Refrigerator vehicles:*			
	(1) Loading over 4 tons	*Ad val.*	Exempt	
	2. Other	K. Nett	60 piastres	
	(d) Other	K. Nett		100 piastres
87-14	Other vehicles not mechanically propelled:			
	(a) Trailers		Unchanged	
	(b) Refrigerating trailers loading over 4 tons	*Ad val.*	Exempt	
	(c) Other	*Ad val.*		25%
96-01	Brooms and brushes consisting of twigs or other vegetable materials merely bound together and not mounted in a head (for example, besoms and whisks with or without handles):			
	(a) Of broom heather and similar twigs	*Ad val.*	25%	80 piastres
	(b) Other	Piece	80 piastres	25%
	Minimum Duty	*Ad val.*	50%	

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Policy on Government Research Associations

'Research for Industry 1961' contains a full statement of Government policy on the industrial research association movement reviewed by the Industrial Grants Committee for the Council for Scientific & Industrial Research. Copies: H.M. Stationery Office. Price 10s. (by post 10s. 7d.)

Factory Law

The seventh edition of 'Factory Law' incorporates two major legislative changes – the amending Act of 1959, and the consolidation of the three Acts of 1937, 1948 and 1959 in the Factories Act, 1961. Copies: Charles Knight & Co., Ltd., 11-12 Bury Street, St. Mary Axe, London, E.C.3. Price £6 6s. (by post £6 9s. 3d.)

TURKEY

Global Import Quotas and Liberalization Lists (II)

THE TURKISH ninth global quotas list was published in last week's *Board of Trade Journal* (pages 212 to 216). The Liberalization List is published below:

Liberalization List

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	
01.01.02	Breeding horses	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
22	Breeding mares and colts	
01.02.22	Others for breeding (bovine)	
01.04.21	Breeding sheep	
25	Breeding goats	
01.05	Breeding poultry	
01.06.21, 22	Other breeding animals	
04.05.20	Breeding eggs	
01.06.10	Guinea-pigs, rabbits, white mice	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
05.02.10,20	Hog's hair and other hairs.	
05.14	Ambergris, castoreum, musk, civet and other.	
06.01	Flower bulbs and other	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
06.02	Other live plants and roots	
09.02	Tea (monopolized).	
10.06.10	Only seed-paddy	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
12.01.20	Copra.	
30	Palm nuts.	
12.01.60	Cotton seeds	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
12.03.20	All kinds of flower seeds	
30	All kinds of tree seeds	
49	All kinds of vegetable seeds	
59	Other seeds and fruit seeds	
12.03.10	Sugar beet seeds.	
12.06	Hops.	
12.07.90	Only other plants used in medicine	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
13.02.29	Only balsams, gums and resins used in medicine	
13.02.12	Shellac.	
13	Gum arabic.	
13.03.30	Agar-Agar.	
40	Other vegetable saps and extracts (only for the pharmaceutical industry).	
14.01.20	Only raffia.	
14.02.10	Only vegetable horsehair.	
14.03	Only Tempico fibres.	
15.03.10	Only oleostearine.	
20	Other.	
15.04.10	Fish oil used in medicine.	
15.07.28	Only tung-oil.	
15.07.39	Only aspidinol filizinine oil.	
15.08 15.10.20 15.12.20	Only additives used in lubricating oil mixing plants (for petroleum companies).	With the permission of the Ministry of Commerce.
15.11.10	Only nitration glycerine	With the permission of the Ministry of Industry.
15.14	Spermaceti.	
15.15.10	Cleaned wax of special quality.	
15.16	Vegetable waxes.	
21.06.11	Barm.	
19	Other ferments (excepting bread leaven).	
25.01.10	Only pure sodium chloride.	
25.04	Natural graphite.	
25.06	Quartz and quartzite.	
25.10	Natural calcium phosphate and other.	
25.12.20	Kieselgur.	
90	Other.	
25.26	Mica and mica waste.	
25.28	Natural cryolite and chiolite.	
25.31	Felspar and fluorspar.	
27.07 (r.t.m.)	Only Lysol and the like.	
27.09	Only crude petroleum	With the permission of the Petroleum Department.
27.10.10	Gasoline and the like	With the permission of the Ministry of Commerce (for Petroleum Companies).
20	Kerosine and the like (excepting standard solvent)	
31	Motorine and the like	
32	Fuel oil and the like	
27.10.33	Lubricating oils	AID
27.13	Parafin, petroleum wax and others.	
28.01.10	Fluorine.	
30	Bromine.	
41	Iodine.	
42	Resublimated iodine.	
27.10.33	Only rice oil.	
28.02.10	Only flowers of sulphur (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
28.03	Vegetable blacks (carbon black), etc.	
28.04.20	Rare gases.	
31	Phosphorus.	
39	Other metalloids.	
28.05	Alkalite metals and other.	
28.06	Hydrochloric acid, chlorosulphonic acid or chlorosulphuric acid.	
28.08.20	Technical sulphuric acid	With the permission of the Ministry of Industry.
28.10.10	Phosphorus pentoxide.	
20	Phosphoric acids.	
28.11.10	Arsenious oxide.	
20	Arsenic acid.	
30	Arsenic anhydride.	
40	Other.	
28.12	Boric oxide and boric acid (only according to Turkish Codex).	
28.13.30	Other inorganic acids and oxygen compounds of metalloids.	
28.14.10	Phosphorus compounds.	
50	Other.	
28.15.10	Phosphorus sulphide.	
30	Other.	
28.18	Oxides, hydroxides and peroxides of strontium, berium and magnesium.	
28.19.10	Zinc oxide.	
20	Zinc peroxide.	
28.20	Aluminium oxide and hydroxide, artificial corundum.	
28.24	Cobalt oxides and hydroxides.	
28.25	Titanium oxides.	
28.26	Tin oxides, stannous oxide and stannic oxide.	
28.28.10	Copper oxide.	
90	Other.	
28.29	Fluorides, fluosilicates, fluoborates and other fluorine salts.	
28.30	Chlorides and oxichlorides (except ammonium chlorides-sal ammoniac).	
28.31.20	Sodium chlorite and hypochlorite.	
30	Potassium hypochlorite.	
40	Other.	
28.32	Chlorates and perchlorates.	
28.33	Bromides and oxibromides, bromates and perbromates, hypobromites.	
28.34	Iodides and oxyiodides, iodates and periodates.	
28.35.11	Antimony sulphide.	
12	Calcium sulphide.	
31	Potassium sulphide.	
33	Tin sulphide.	
42	Arsenic sulphide.	
49	Other.	
28.36	Dithionites, sulpho-oxilates.	
28.38.11	Impure copper sulphate	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
28.38.19	Only pure copper sulphate	
28.38.19	Other (except pure copper sulphate).	
21	Chrome sulphate.	
22	Only sodium sulphate as per Turkish codex or purer.	
23	Sodium bisulphate.	
24	Sodium persulphate.	
25	Magnesium sulphate.	
26	Lead sulphate.	
28	Zinc sulphate.	
29	Other.	
30	Aluminium sulphate.	
41	Mercury sulphate basic.	
42	Mercury sulphate.	
43	Potassium sulphate.	
44	Cadmium sulphate.	
49	Other.	
52	Barium sulphate.	
59	Other (except nickel sulphate).	
60	Potassium and aluminium sulphate.	
71	Chrome alum.	
73	Iron alum.	
79	Other.	
28.39	Nitrites and nitrates (except technical ammonium nitrate).	
28.40	Phosphites, hypophosphites and phosphates.	
28.41	Arsenics and arsenates.	
28.42.11	Sodium bicarbonate.	
12	Sodium percarbonate.	
15	Potassium bicarbonate.	
19	Other.	
21	Barium carbonate.	
22	Magnesium carbonate precipitated.	
23	Magnesium carbonate.	
24	Manganese carbonate.	
29	Other.	
31	Copper, lithium, basic bismuth carbonate.	
39	Other.	
41	Ammonium bicarbonate.	
49	Other.	
28.43	Cyanides and complex cyanides.	
28.45	Silicates.	
28.46	Borates and perborates (excepting borax).	
28.47.10	Vannadates, ammonium molybdate.	
20	Barium aluminate, cobalt aluminate.	
41	Potassium permanganates.	
49	Other permanganates.	
28.48	Other salts and peroxy salts of inorganic acids.	
28.49.29	Only argyrol and protargol (as per codex).	
28.50	Natural radioactive chemical elements and their radioactive isotopes and their compounds, inorganic and organic.	
28.51	Isotopes and their compounds, inorganic or organic, other than isotopes and compounds falling within Heading 28.50.	
28.52	Salts and other compounds, inorganic or organic of torium of uranium and of rare earth metals.	
28.54.10	Perhydrol.	
28.55	Phosphides.	
28.57	Hydrides, nitrides, silicides, and borides.	
29.01.10	Diphenyl, diphenylmethane.	
20	Terpenes.	
49	Other.	
29.02	Halogenated derivatives of hydrocarbons.	
29.03	Sulphonated, nitrated, notrosated derivatives of hydrocarbons.	
29.04	Acyclic alcohols and derivatives thereof.	
29.05	Cyclic alcohols and their derivatives.	
29.06	Phenols and phenolalcohols.	
29.07	Derivatives of phenols and phenol-alcohols.	
29.08	Ether-oxides and other (except technical ethyl-ether).	
29.06	Epoxides and other.	
29.10	Acetals and other.	
29.11	Aldehydes and other.	
29.12	Derivatives of substances falling within Heading No. 29.11.	
29.13	Ketones and other.	
29.14	Monoacids and other.	
29.15.11	Oxalic acid.	
19	Acyclic acids, etc.	
30	Sodium salts.	

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Tariff No.	Description of Goods	
29.15.90 32.07.40	Only phthalic anhydride . . . . . Other colouring matters . . . . . (with the exception of pigments obtained by treating colouring earths of Heading No. 25.09 with ammoniac or potassium hydroxide and polishing same with synthetic organic colouring substances, pigments containing zinc sulphide, iron oxides and hydroxides additioned with organic colouring substances, lead oxides).	With the permission of the Union of Chambers.
29.16	Alcohol-acids, and other.	
29.17	Sulphuric esters and other.	
29.18	Nitrous and nitric esters and other.	
29.19	Phosphoric esters and other.	
29.20	Carbonic esters and other.	
29.21	Other esters of mineral acids.	
29.22	Amine function compounds.	
29.23	Single or complex oxygen function amino-compounds.	
29.24	Quarternary ammonium salts and hydrates.	
29.25	Amino-function compounds.	
29.26	Imide-function and imine-function compounds.	
29.27	Nitrile-function compounds.	
29.28	Diazo, azo- and azoxy-compounds.	
29.29	Organic derivatives of hydrazine and hydroxylamine.	
29.30	Compounds with other nitrogen-function.	
29.31	Organo-sulphur compounds (except carbon sulphide).	
29.32	Organo-arsenic compounds.	
29.33	Organo-mercury compounds.	
29.34	Other organo-inorganic compounds.	
29.35	Heterocyclic compounds.	
29.36	Sulphonamides.	
29.37	Lactones and lactams, sultones and sultams.	
29.38	Provitamins and vitamins.	
29.39	Hormones and their derivatives.	
29.40.20	Other.	
29.41	Glucosides and other.	
29.42.10	Quinine and its salts (for the Red Crescent).	
21	Cocaine, eucaine.	
99	Only codein and ethyl-morphine chlorhydrate (for the Produce Office).	
29.42.22-34 -99	Alkaloids, salts, ethers, esters and their other derivatives	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
29.43	Other sugars, chemically pure, other than sucrose	
29.44	Antibiotics	
29.45	Other organic compounds	
30.01	Glands and other organs for opotherapic use, dry, and their secretions	
30.02	Serums, microbic vaccines and other . .	
30.03.18	Insulins	
21	Oral antidiabetics	
31.02.80	Urea as per Codex	
31.02 31.03 31.04 31.05	Miscellaneous chemical fertilizers . . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
32.05.21	Anilines, alizarines.	
22	Artificial organic colours.	
29	Other.	
32.08	Prepared pigments for ceramic enamelling and glass industries.	
32.09	Only mattweiss and equivalent substances for the textile industry.	
32.10	Colours (only for exporters, with the certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
32.11	Prepared dryers.	
32.13.10	Printing ink.	
33.06.29	Only shaving blocks.	
34.02	Only additives used in lubricating oil mixing plants (for petroleum companies) . . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Commerce.
34.02	Only benzalconium chloride U.S.P. . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
34.03	Lubricating preparations and other products.	
34.04	Artificial waxes.	
35.02	Only tenalbine and aluminium compounds containing iron and arsenic.	
35.04	Pepton, other protein substances and their derivatives.	
37.01.10 37.02.10	X-ray films (for the Red Crescent).	
37.08	Only chemical products used in photography.	
38.05	Tall oil.	
38.07.10	Pine oil.	
38.08.30	Other.	
38.09.10 20 50	Only creosote oil used in pharmacy . . Only vegetable tar used in pharmacy . . Only juniper tar used in pharmacy . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
38.11	Only chlorazol (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
38.11	Only disinfecting, insecticidal and similar preparations used in agriculture . . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture.
38.11	Only disinfecting, insecticidal and similar preparations used for health . . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
38.13	Fluxes and other auxiliary preparations for soldering, welding or brazing and scraping oxides.	
38.14	Anti-knock preparations and other.	
38.15	Prepared rubber accelerators.	
38.16	Prepared culture media for the development of micro-organisms.	
38.17	Only chemical products used in fire-extinguishers.	
38.18	Composite solvents and thinners for varnishes and similar products.	
38.19	Only chemical products used as mortar for fire bricks of Heading No. 69.02.10, 40, 90 containing more than 70% of alumina and fire bricks of magnesite and chrome magnesite.	
38.19.11	Only Eldon cards.	
38.19.12	Dry-test serums.	
13, 14	Wet-test serums and calcium morroxynate.	
38.19.20	Only Seger pyramids.	
38.19.20	Only anti-freeze and hydraulic oil.	
38.19.20	Only additives used in lubricating oil mixing plants (for petroleum companies). . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Commerce.
38.19.20	Only pure ichthyol, ammonium sulpho-ichthyolate, ammonium sulphobituminate . .	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	
39.06.11	Heparine.	
39.01.90	Only fluid silicone SI and other silicones.	
39.03.12	Only foil of transparent cellulose sheeting (for the cigarette factories of the State Monopolies)	With the permission of the Ministry of Industry.
39.03.12	Only foil of transparent cellulose sheeting (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
60	Only collodion of Codex specifications.	
90	Only foil of transparent cellulose sheeting weighing up to 50 g. per m.2 (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by the Exporters' Unions).	
39.06.29	Only salts of alginic acid and their esters.	
39.07.90	Only bakelized paperboard.	
39.07.90	Only bags of transparent cellulose (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
40.01.20	Natural raw rubber	AID
40.02	Synthetic rubber and rubber substitutes derived from oils	AID
40.06.29	Only pressure-sensitive adhesive tape.	
40.09.20	Only hydraulic, oil and fuel hose with sleeve (except radiator and water hose even with sleeve).	
40.11.11 12 21 22 30 40	Pneumatic tyres . . . . . Pneumatic tyres . . . . . Inner tubes . . . . . Inner tubes . . . . . Only tyre armour for vehicles . . . Only inner tubes used as mould for manufacturing and repairing tyres	AID
40.13.20	Only diving suits.	
40.14.11	Washers.	
40.14.12	Joints.	
41.01.12 16 32 36	Raw hides of bovine cattle, fresh, weighing 15 kilos or more . . . . . Raw hides of bovine cattle, dried, weighing 9 kilos or more . . . . . Raw hides of buffalo and buffalo calves, fresh, weighing 15 kilos or more . . . . . Raw hides of buffalo and buffalo calves, dried, weighing 9 kilos or more	AID
42.04	Articles of natural or composition leather only for technical use (except transmission welting).	
45.01	Natural cork and waste cork.	
45.02	Natural cork.	
45.04.20	Only joints.	
48.01.10 44	Straining paper . . . . . (r.t.m.) Kraft paper for cement bags . .	AID
48.01.61	Cigarette paper (monopolized).	
48.10	Cigarette paper (monopolized).	
48.03.19	Parchment paper and paperboard, and imitations thereof (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
48.07	Only matrices, paper board, for printing.	
48.07	Paper and paperboard, glazed, impregnated, coated, surface-coloured or printed (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).	
48.15.90	Only waxed paper, diphenyl paper, straining paper and reels of paper for cigarette tips.	
48.21.10	Joints.	
22	Scale paper for medical apparatus and technical machines.	
29	Only paper matrices for printing and paper and paperboard for Jacquard and other weaving machines.	
49.01.21	School books (in foreign languages).	
29	Other books in foreign languages (only technical, scientific, professional, literary and art books).	
49.02.10	Fashion magazines.	
49.02.30	Other (only daily and periodical, political and commercial newspapers, technical, scientific, professional, literary and art magazines).	
49.03.20	Children's books and illustrated albums in foreign languages.	
49.04	Music.	
49.05	Maps of any kind.	
49.06	Architectural and engineering plans and other technical drawings.	
49.11	Only plans and plates for educational purposes.	
50.08 51.02	Only nylon messina (for fishing).	
51.01 51.03	Yarn of continuous synthetic and artificial textiles	With the permission of the Ministry of Industry. AID.
51.01.10 51.03.10	Only synthetic netting yarn (for fishing).	
51.04.10	Those used for the manufacture of tyres and inner tubes of any kind.	
53.01.10 20 34	Merino, greasy . . . . . Merino, washed . . . . . Merino, carbonized	With the permission of the Ministry of Industry.
57.07.11 12	Coco yarn.	
57.10.10	Packing canvas	AID.
58.05	Only spindle band for the textile industry and transmission band for rotative machines.	
58.05.90	Only cotton band for packing (for exporters with a certificate issued by Exporters' Unions).	
59.04	Only synthetic yarn for netting (for fishermen).	
59.04.21	Only Jacquard cord.	
59.05.10	Only fishing nets of synthetic yarn (for fishermen).	
59.16.12	Transmission belting made of wool and animal hair.	
59.17.12	Only diaphragms.	
90	Only joints, washers, polishing wheels, sleeves, cushions, diaphragms for pumps, engines, etc., security belts for pilots, polishing machine felt, only printing blankets.	
60.06.10	Only hose and knee-caps for varicose veins.	
62.03.10	Jute bags	AID.
65.06.10	Miners' headgear.	
66.03.11	Only umbrella fittings (except all kinds of handles other than automatic umbrella handles).	
68.04.20	Only grindstone and sharpening stones for razor blades.	

Turkey (*Continued*)

Tariff No.	Description of Goods
68.14	Accessories for brakes, clutches and other friction apparatus and parts with a basis of asbestos, cellulose and other mineral substances (excepting asbestos yarn, packing, wick and brake balata).
68.15	Worked mica and articles of mica.
68.16	Articles of stone or of similar mineral substances not included or mentioned elsewhere in the Tariff.
69.02.10	Refractory bricks containing more than 70 per cent. of alumina, refractory bricks of magnesite and chrome-magnesite.
40, 90	Chromite . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Industry
	Other (except refractory bricks containing less than 50 per cent. alumina) . . .
69.03.14, 15, 19, 90	Casting crucibles and retorts (including stoppers and supports).
70.08	Safety glass and unbreakable glass.
70.09	Only rear view mirrors for motor vehicles.
70.11	Glass for electric bulbs.
70.12	Glass inners for vacuum flasks.
70.14.90	Only head light and stop light glass for vehicles.
70.15.11.21	Glass for pocket and wrist watches.
70.15.19.29	Only glass for spectacles and masks used for welding.
70.18	Optical glass and optical parts and glass for corrective spectacles.
70.20	Only insulating material and glass wool and glass fibre.
70.21.10	Special safety glass for boilers.
20	Glass tubes showing the water level of boilers.
70.21.90	Only glass cylinders for polishing leather.
71.02.10	Only diamonds for the industry.
73.02	Ferro-alloys.
73.04	Only iron and steel shot.
73.05.10	Only iron and steel powder.
73.12	Hoop and strip of iron and steel only up to a thickness of 250 mm.
73.13.10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 70, 80, 90	Iron and steel sheets (except plain black sheets up to a thickness of 4·75 mm. and scaled sheets of any thickness.)
73.13.10, 20, 30, 40, 70, 80, 90	Only scaled sheets . . . . . With the permission of the Union of Chambers.
73.13.60	Tin plate.
90	Only lacquered tin plate . . . . . AID
73.14.30	Galvanized wire (only for exporters with a certificate of need of Exporters Unions).
73.15	Alloy and high carbon steel . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Industries.
73.29.90	Only transmission chains.
73.33	Sewing and other needles.
73.35	Iron and steel springs (except flat springs for vehicles).
73.40	Only acmonital (for the Ministry of Finance).
74.16	Copper springs.
75.01, 02, 03, 04, 05	Nickel and articles of nickel.
75.06.29	Only conductor wire (of nickel).
76.01.10	Unwrought aluminium . . . . . AID.
76.04	Aluminium sheets and strips . . . . . AID.
76.05	Only aluminium powder.
76.06	Only aluminium tubes (having an external diameter of 15 mm. less).
76.16.51	Only aluminium washers for the manufacture of soft tubes.
76.16.59	Only aluminium labels (only for exporters with a certificate of need issued by Exporters' Unions).
77.01.10	Unwrought magnesium.
77.02	Magnesium in bars, rods, sections, wire sheets.
78.01.20	Only printing metal.
79.01.10	Unwrought zinc.
80.01.10	Unwrought tin . . . . . AID.
80.02	Tin rods, sections, wire . . . . . AID.
80.03	Tin sheets, plates and strips.
80.04	Tin foil, strip, powder and flake.
81.01.40	Tungsten wire.
81.02.40	Molybdenum wire.
81.03	Tantalum and articles thereof.
81.04.30	Other base metals.
82.02	Only saw blades of any kind.
82.04.20	Only parts of welding machines (except container).
82.05	Only parts and spares (except drill tips of 0·5 to 10 mm.) (except body and chassis).
82.06	Knives, and blades for machines and machinetools (except knives for harvesters).
82.07	Tool-pipes and plates, sticks and the like for tools.
83.07.10	Mining lamps.
29	Only incandescent lamp parts (except fuel containers) and coastal light-house parts.
83.08	Flexible tubes of base metal.
84.01.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.02	Auxiliary apparatus for steam generators, steam condensers and parts and spares thereof . AID.
84.03.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis).
84.04.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis).
84.05.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis).
84.06.90	Parts and spares (except bronze bearings) with steel shell for diesel engines and cylinder jackets up to 200 mm. and oil felt (except body and chassis) including air-cooled cylinder jackets.
84.06.90	Only parts for plane motors.
84.07.90	Parts (except body and chassis) . . . . AID.
84.08.80	Parts of other motor and engines (except body and chassis) . . . . . AID.
84.09.20	Parts . . . . . AID.
84.10.29	Parts (except body and chassis) . . . AID.
84.11.90	Parts (except main body and chassis) . . AID.
84.13	Force feed furnace burners.
84.15.30	Only refrigerating apparatus and devices of refrigerated railway cars for the transport of meat, fish, and fresh fruit and vegetables . With the permission of the Ministry of Commerce.
84.15.90	Parts of spare parts (except inner and outer bodies, doors and evaporators for commercial type refrigerators).
84.16.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.17.13	Only parts and spares (except body and boilers).
29	Only parts and spares (except body and boilers).
84.18.40	Only parts and spares (except body and chassis).
84.19	Packing machines.
84.21	Only parts and spares of fire extinguishers (except body, container and chassis) (including special fire extinguishers used in vehicles) . AID.
84.21.11, 90	Atomizers and sprayers used for pest control in agriculture (except motorless atomizers and sprayers carried on the back).
84.22.90	Only parts of elevator machinery and of telphers (except cabins).
84.23	Only parts and spares (except body, chassis and grader knife).
84.24	Agricultural, cultivating and soil preparation machinery (except shears of animal-driven ploughs including those for tractors) (except discs) . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture. AID.
84.25	Harvesting and threshing machines and implements . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture. AID.
84.24.69	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.25.91	Parts and spare parts (except knives for harvesters) of reaper and binder machines, mowing and threshing machines and seed crushing machines . . . . . AID.
84.25.95	Parts of other machines (except reaper knives) . AID.
84.26	All kinds of dairy machines and implements and milking machines . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture. AID.
84.26.90	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.27	Fruit presses and filters and the like (except wine-presses) . . . . .
84.28	Other agricultural and forestry machinery and appliances (except roller-gins and incubators for fewer than 1,200 eggs) . . . . . With the permission of the Ministry of Agriculture. AID.
84.27.90	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.28.91	Parts of machines for crushing fodder.
84.28.95	Parts of other machines (except body and chassis).
84.29.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.30.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.31.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.32.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.33.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.34.19	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.34.25	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.34.29	Only parts and spares and printing type (except body and chassis) . . . . . AID.
84.35.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.38	Accessories and parts for machines falling within Headings 84.36 and 84.37 (except body and chassis) . . . . . AID.
84.39.20	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.40.90	Parts and spares (except inner and outer body and tub).
84.41.30	Sewing machine needles.
84.41.90	Other parts and spares (excluding chassis, plates, legs and cabinets) . . . . . AID.
84.42.90	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.43	Only parts and spares and casting ladles . . AID.
84.44	Only rolling mills . . . . . AID.
84.48	Accessories and parts of machines falling within Headings 84.45 to 84.47 (except body and chassis) . . . . . AID.
84.49	Only parts and spares (except body and chassis) AID.
84.50	Only parts for gas-operated welding, cutting and surface tempering appliances and machines (including blow-pipes) . . . . . AID.
84.55	Parts of machinery or appliances of a kind falling within Headings 84.51 to 84.54 (inclusive) (except body and chassis and drawers) AID.
84.56.91	Parts and spares of ore selecting, sieving and washing machines (except body and chassis and vats).
84.56.95	Parts of other machines (except body, chassis, vats, balls and jaws).
84.57.90	Parts and spares (except body and chassis) . AID.
84.59.90	Only parts and spares (except body, chassis and tanks).
84.60	Moulds for metal, glass, rubber and plastic goods, mineral substances and mineral carbides . . . . . AID.
84.62	All kinds of bearings . . . . . AID.
84.63	Shafts, bearings, and other transmission equipment (except transmission shaft bearings and bronze bearing in steel shells) . . . . AID.
84.64	Gaskets and similar joints of metal and asbestos combined with felt, paperboard and the like.
84.65	Machinery parts not containing electrical connectors, electrically insulated parts, coils, contacts or other electrical features (except body and chassis).
85.01.50	Reaction coils (except fluorescent and valve ballasts) . . . . . AID.
85.01.90	Parts (except body and fluorescent and valve ballasts) . . . . . AID.
85.02	Only parts (except body and chassis) . . AID.
85.03.90	Only electrical batteries and their parts (except dry batteries and parts).
85.04.90	Only separators used in lead accumulators on vehicles.
85.05	Only parts (except body and chassis).
85.08	Electrical starting and ignition equipment for internal combustion engines.
85.09	Electrical lighting and signalling equipment, windscreen wipers and defrosters, for cycles and motor vehicles.
85.10.10	Mine lamps.
85.11.90	Parts (except body and chassis).

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Turkey (*Continued*)

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	
85.12.35	Parts (except body and chassis and parts of electrical irons) (including only resistances and thermo-couples of electrical irons).	
85.13.91.95	Parts (except body and chassis).	
85.15.90	Parts entirely unassembled not containing any electric connection (except chassis, box, rear cover, front frame, scale glass, loudspeaker cloth, dial and cord, fixing pieces of metal).	
85.18	Electrical condensers	AID.
85.19.30	Only relays used on controlling and regulating switchboards	AID.
85.19.40	Only selectors, head lamps, push-pull switches, contact switches, shorters and starting automats.	
85.19.90	Parts and spares (of the equipment falling under Heading No. 85.19.10 only part of thermic switches, safety plugs, bronze sockets, triangle-star switches).	
85.20	Only bulbs for vehicles	AID.
85.20.90	Parts and spares	AID.
85.21	Tubes and valves for any use except lighting	AID.
85.24	Articles and parts for electric and electronic uses, made of agglomerated or baked, carbon or graphite (except brushes for electrical machinery and appliances).	
85.26	Insulating parts for electrical equipment having no metal parts (except parts for the material falling within Heading No. 85.19.10 of the Import List with allocation of foreign exchange, the importation whereof is forbidden).	
85.28	Parts of electrical machinery not mentioned or included in other headings of this Chapter.	
86.09	Parts and spare parts for railway rolling stock (except axles, traction hooks, coupling and springs).	
87.02.13 (a)	Only trucks of a net capacity of 6 tons and more (except wooden and metallic boxes) (to be imported exclusively by authorized distributors)	AID.
87.03 (a)	Special purpose motor vehicles (except watering tanks, garbage trucks, scavenger trucks and fuel tankers) (to be imported exclusively by authorized distributors)	AID.
87.04.90 (a)	Truck chassis fitted with engines with a net capacity of 6 tons and over (to be imported exclusively by authorized distributors	AID.
87.06	Parts and spare parts and accessories of motor vehicles falling within Heading Nos. 87.01, 87.02 and 87.03 (provided those falling within Heading No.84.06.90 are excluded and they are indicated in the Parts Catalogue) (except balata and oil felt)	AID.
87.07.20	Parts and spares (except those falling within Heading No. 84.06.90)	AID.
87.11	Invalid carriages and similar means of transportation fitted with mechanical propulsion.	
87.12	Parts and accessories of articles falling within Heading Nos. 87.09, 87.10 and 87.11 (except frames and handle-bars for cycles and motorcycles).	
88.03	Parts and spares of balloons, airships, flying machines, helicopters, gliders and kites.	
90.01.10	Only glass for medical spectacles.	
90.02	Only lenses and eye-pieces for microscopes.	
90.07.15	Parts for photographic cameras (except body, box and chassis).	
90.07.20	Other apparatus.	
90.07.30	Parts of other apparatus.	
90.08	Only parts (except body, chassis and box).	
90.10	Apparatus and equipment of a kind used in photographic or cinematographic laboratories, not falling within any other heading in this Chapter: photo-copying apparatus (contact type), spools or reels, for film, screens for projectors.	
90.12	Optical microscopes and other.	
90.14	Geophysical, topographical, surveying and other instruments.	
90.15	Sensitive balances.	
90.17	Medical, dental, surgical and veterinary instruments (excluding stethoscopes and sphygmomanometers).	
90.18.10	Gas masks (only for medical and surgical use).	
90	Other.	
90.19	Orthopaedic appliances and other (except artificial teeth of plastic basis)	With the permission of the Ministry of Health.
90.20	X-ray and other apparatus.	
90.21	Instruments, apparatus or models, designed solely for demonstrational purposes (for example, in education or exhibition), unsuitable for other uses (except globes up to a diameter of 31 cm.).	
90.22	Machines and appliances for testing mechanically the hardness, strength, compressibility, elasticity and like properties of industrial materials.	
90.23	Hydrometers, aerometers, alcoholmeters and other.	
90.24	Instruments and apparatus for measuring, checking or automatically controlling the flow, depth, pressure or other variables of liquids or gases, or for automatically controlling temperature, temperature measuring instruments for central heating and similar installations.	
90.25	Instruments and apparatus for physical or chemical analysis and other.	
90.26	Gas, liquid and electricity supply meters (except water supply meter of 1 in. or less).	
90.27	Other meters, speed indicators, taximeters and stroboscopes.	
90.28	Electrical measuring, checking, analysing or automatically controlling instruments and apparatus	AID.
90.29	Parts or accessories suitable for use solely or principally with one or more of the articles falling within Heading Nos. 90.23, 90.24, 90.26, 90.27 or 90.28.	
91.11	Other clocks and watch parts (except cabinets and chassis).	
92.09	Musical instrument strings.	
92.10	Parts and accessories of musical instruments, metronomes, tuning forks and pitch pipes of all kinds.	
92.12.41	Only teaching records	With the permission of the Ministry of National Education.
92.12.43	Gramophone record matrices.	
92.13	Other parts and accessories of apparatus falling within Heading No. 92.11 (except body, plate, box and chassis).	
95.08	Only gelatine capsules for medicines.	
96.02.10	Brushes used as machinery parts.	
97.07.10	Fish hooks.	
98.03.50.90	Only parts and accessories for all kinds of fountain pens (except body and cover).	
98.04	Only pen nibs and nib points.	
98.10.20	Parts and spares of lighters (except fuel container and outer case).	

(a) Anyone wishing to import the vehicles falling under these headings shall be permitted to withdraw the same provided he justifies to the customs concerned that he has opened an irrevocable letter of credit for spare parts of these vehicles in the proportion of 10 per cent. of the allocation obtained.

Note:

1. If no Statistics Nos. are indicated against the Tariff headings included in this list, all the Statistics Nos. indicated in the Tariff for the said heading and the goods to which they refer shall be deemed to be included in the said heading.

2. If the descriptions of the goods included in this list are not accompanied by the words 'Only', 'except' and similar restrictive terms, all the goods included in that heading of the Tariff shall be deemed to be included in said description.

3. The letters AID mentioned in this list indicate the articles the value whereof shall be paid out of the AID funds. In some cases, however, part of the quota may be purchased from countries other than the United States, and information on this will be published in the *Board of Trade Journal* as soon as possible.

FEDERATION OF RHODESIA AND NYASALAND

Application for Increased Duty

FEDERAL NOTICE No. 527 published in the Federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland *Government Gazette* of July 20, 1962, states that the Ministry of Commerce and Industry has received an application for increased customs duty on the following:

Tariff Item	Description of Commodity		Rates of Duty			
			Duty A	Duty B	Duty C	Duty D
73	*Present wording and duties:* Millinery, drapery, haberdashery and textile articles of furnishing and napery:					
	(d) Other, n.e.e.	*ad val.*	30%	22½%	20%	10%
	Proposed wording and duties:					
	(d) Neck-ties	*ad val.*	37½%	30%	27½%	17½%
		or each	£0 3s. 0d.	£0 2s. 6d.	£0 2s. 6d.	£0 2s. 6d.
		less *ad val.*	—	—	2½%	12½%
			whichever duty shall be the greater			
	(e) Other	*ad val.*	30%	22½%	20%	10%

Where British Trade Organizations all thought to be interested in the above application they are being informed and it is suggested that any British firm desiring to make representations to the Ministry of Commerce and Industry and belonging to a trade organization, should get in touch with that body in the first instance. Firms proposing to make independent representations to the Federal Authorities and desiring further information relating to the above should address their inquiries to the Commercial Relations and Exports Department, Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1, quoting reference C.R.E. 8311/62. The closing date for the receipt of evidence by the Ministry of Commerce and Industry is August 31, 1962.

GHANA

Notice to Importers

The Controller of Imports and Exports published the following notice in the Commercial and Industrial Supplement to the Ghana Gazette of July 20, 1962.

1. The Controller of Imports and Exports hereby notifies Importers that all Specific Import Licences issued to cover any items, which have since been placed on Open General Import Licence, are forthwith cancelled and Banks will not authorize any transfer of money against them.

2. Similarly, any licences issued to expire on June 30, 1962, must not be used to import goods as no validity of extension of such licences will be permitted.

3. All licences which have expired and have not been fully utilized and any licences which cover items on Open General Import Licences should, therefore, be surrendered immediately to the Controller of Imports and Exports.

Mail to South Africa Underpaid

THE GENERAL POST OFFICE announced in a statement dated July 24 that many business and private individuals in South Africa may be irritated and inconvenienced when they receive letters from this country.

Since the postage rates to the Union were increased on June 1, some 8,000 items a week or about one in four or five of the total mail have been underpaid. Surcharging underpaid mail is embarrassing, particularly to the addressees, and mail could be delayed by it.

The postage rate of letters to South Africa is 6d. for the first ounce and 4d. for each additional ounce: postcards cost 4d.

CEYLON

Licensing Procedure

IMPORT CONTROL Notice No. 19/62 dated June 21 issued by the Ceylon Controller of Imports and Exports sets out in detail the licensing procedure in regard to imports which require an individual import licence. The notice reads as follows:

1. *When the import of any commodity is brought under Licence Control, the following conditions will apply:*

(i) All orders for goods, subject to import licence and outstanding at the time of the Import Control Order, should be cancelled forthwith, unless the Import Control Notification carries any directives to the contrary;

(ii) Any appeal in regard to matters arising from (i) above should be lodged with the Controller (by letter under registered cover) within 7 days of the publication of the Import Control Notice;

(iii) A shipment effected in anticipation of an Import Licence is an unauthorized importation and is liable to forfeiture (this will apply to any shipments covered by letters of credit as well).

2. *When, in regard to any goods under licence, Import Control Regulations require that importers should obtain individual Import Licences before any orders are placed, the Indent Licensing System will apply. The main features of this Scheme are:*

(i) The Statement of Indent for goods furnished by the importer will serve as his application form for an Import Licence.
The indent should be submitted in quadruplicate and should provide the following particulars:
(a) the name and address of Importer;
(b) General Import Licence Number;
(c) name and address of supplier;
(d) country of shipment;
(e) country of origin (country where goods were produced or manufactured);
(f) Import Control classification Item No.;
(g) description of goods (this should be as comprehensive as possible);
(h) quantity (and unit price where possible);
(i) total c.i.f. value of indent in rupee currency (both in figures and words) if freight or insurance is payable locally, their values and the total f.o.b. value of indent should be stated;
(j) name and address of indent agent, if any;
(k) signature of importer in authentication of the indent;
(l) date of indent;

(ii) The indent, on being duly registered and validated by the Controller will constitute the licence authorizing the importation of the goods according to the specifications in the indent;

(iii) Any alteration in an indent which has been licensed will not be valid unless such alteration has been authenticated by the signature of the Controller or an assistant acting on his behalf;

(iv) An Import Licence is issued against evidence of a firm order. If, after securing the Licence the order for goods is not confirmed for any reasons, the importer should return his licence immediately for cancellation. He may apply for a new licence against a fresh indent.

3. *The following conditions of Licensing Procedure have special relevance to imports subject to a price or quota control:*

(i) An import licence is generally issued on the basis of quantity or c.i.f. value (in rupee currency). Goods imported in excess of the licensed value or quantity are liable to forfeiture. Freight and insurance paid locally in part or whole, will be debited against the value of the licence;

(ii) Goods under licence should be shipped within the period of validity prescribed. Application for renewal or extension of validity period of a licence will not be considered after the date of its expiry. A consignment despatched after the final date of shipment specified in the licence is an unauthorized importation;

(iii) When two or more shipments are effected against a licence, it shall be the responsibility of the importer to ensure that the total importation does not exceed the full quantity or value specified in the licence. A failure on his part to do so will render him liable to refusal of any further licence (in addition to cancellation or suspension of his General Import Licence).

4. *The following conditions relate to any import licences issued by this Control:*

(i) In applying for release of foreign exchange (to an Authorized Bank) or for grant of Customs Clearance (to the Principal Collector) an importer should conform strictly to the conditions prescribed in a licence and also to the requirements of licensing procedure set out above;

(ii) An importer should not arrange to ship any goods to Ceylon unless he is in possession of a valid licence, or has ensured that no specific licence is required (prior to effecting shipment) under Import Control Regulations;

(iii) Trafficking in or misuse of Import Control Licence or tampering with a licence (or licensed indent) will render the licensee liable to criminal proceedings (besides cancellation of licence and any other penalty which the Government may impose).

5. Importers are hereby informed that, in regard to para. 1 (iii) above, belated applications for a covering licence for imports will not be entertained by this office hereafter – unless valid reasons are adduced for their failure to comply with conditions set out in paras. 1 (ii) and 4 (ii) above. Under no circumstances should an importer await the arrival of goods in the Island to submit an application for a covering licence.

Amendment to Industrial Products Act

THE CEYLON Government Gazette No. 13187 dated June 29 contains a Notice issued by the Minister of Industries, Home and Cultural Affairs, the effect of which is that the ratio of local product to regulated product in relation to textiles covered by the Industrial Products Act is amended to 1:8 in place of 1:5.

Import Trade Control

The British Trade Commissioner in Colombo has reported by cable that individual import licences are now required for the import of asbestos sheets, ridges and tiles. Licences for the import of these goods will be issued at the discretion of the Controller of Imports.

Applications for licences for all confirmed outstanding orders had to be made within seven days of the publication of the Import Control Notice.

A further Notice will be published as soon as official confirmation is received.

Import Control Policy

IMPORT CONTROL Notice No. 22/62 dated July 13, issued by the Ceylon Controller of Imports and Exports sets out the present policy relating to the import of goods into Ceylon.

Copies of this Notice may be obtained from the Board of Trade, Export Services Branch, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: City 5757, Extns. 460 and 462.)

Import Quotas

IMPORT CONTROL Notice No. 24/62 issued by the Ceylon Controller of Imports and Exports dated July 13 announces that it is proposed to grant quotas to established importers on the basis of the following allocations. Licences issued to importers against their quotas will be valid for shipment of goods on or before December 31, 1962.

Description of goods	Approx. Value (or quantity) of allocation
	Rs.
1. Chinaware, porcelainware and earthenware (other than sanitary fittings, cisterns, baths, filters and earthenware pots and pans)	340,000
2. Photographic paper, plates and films (other than X-ray films, litho films and plates for printing work)	650,000
3. Musical instruments, gramophones and phonographs (including records and recorded tapes)	288,000
4. Electric cooking and heating apparatus	92,000
5. Chassis (with or without engines mounted) of motor lorries, buses, vans and trucks	3,613,000
6. Powder, face and bath and Eau-de-Cologne	297,000
7. Tooth paste and dentifrices	409,000
8. Fountain pens (c.i.f. value Rs. 5 and under)	426,500
9. Toys and parlour games (excluding playing cards, tricycles, toys made of wood, clay or rubber and rubber balloons)	187,500
10. Electric fans	60,000
11. Refrigerator components (excluding cabinets)	263,000
12. Hair cord (36 ins. or below)	86,900
13. Satin (36 ins. or below)	1,024,300
14. Crepe (36 ins. or below)	492,700

BURMA

Import Licence Announcement

THE DIRECTORATE of Imports and Exports of the Government of the Union of Burma has announced that ceramic glazed wall and floor tiles may be imported under trade import licences for building materials.

AUSTRALIA

Special Advisory Authority Result

A NOTICE was published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on June 29, 1962 (page 1453) to the effect that a reference had been made to the Special Advisory Authority in respect of vinyl chloride polymer and copolymer products.

The Inquiry has now been held and as a result of the Special Advisory Authority's recommendations the following temporary duties have been imposed:

(1) Flexible sheets, strip, film, roll film and foil, not adhesive backed (Tariff Item 368 (A) (2) (b)):
9d. per lb. plus 1d. per lb. for every 1d. or part thereof by which the f.o.b. price is lower than 3s. 0d. per lb.

(2) Plates, sheets and strips, supported by or laminated with or containing textile fabric but not corrugated or like profile shapes (Tariff Item 368 (A) (3) (d)), textile fabrics (Tariff Item 105 (H) (3)), table cloths and table covers (Tariff Item 368 (A) (4) (b) (1)):
7s. 0d. per sq. yd. less 100 per cent. on all goods on which the value for duty does not exceed 7s. 0d. per sq. yd.

(3) Curtains (Tariff Item 368 (A) (4) (a)), table cloths and table covers (Tariff Item 368 (A) (4) (b) (2)):
1s. 0d. per sq. yd.

These additional duties do not apply to goods in transit on or before June 18, 1962, provided the goods are for home consumption. Full details will be published in the *Board of Trade Journal* as soon as possible.

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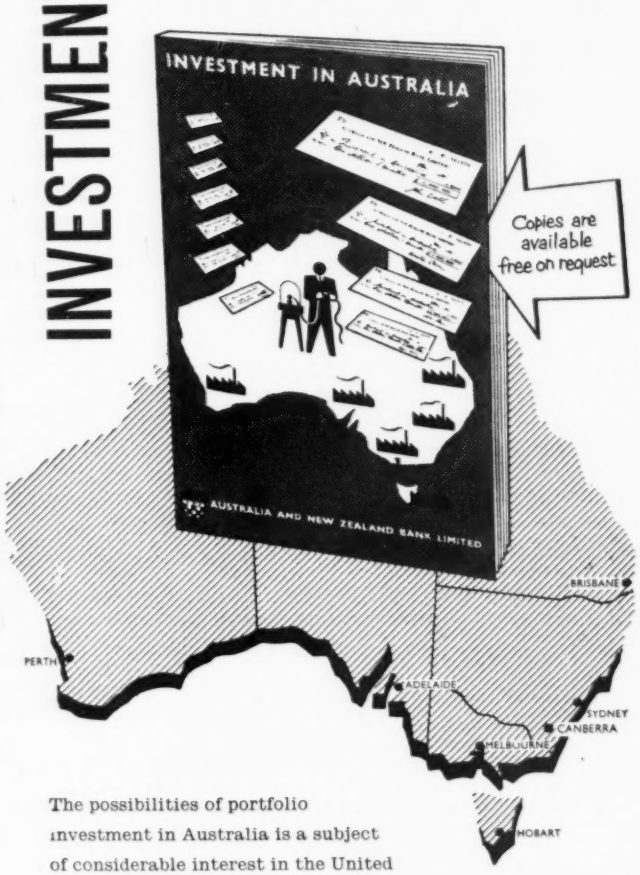

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Details of Temporary Duties

DETAILS are given below of the temporary changes made in the Australian Customs duties which came into effect on July 20, 1962. Additions to the Customs Tariff are shown by italics.

Tariff Item	Goods	Former Duties			New Duties		
		British Preferential	Most-Favoured-Nation	General	British Preferential	Most-Favoured-Nation	General
120	(C) Towels and towelling, viz.:						
	(5) Terry towels, cut or uncut; towels, other, cut or uncut; towelling, including terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, in the piece, whether or not defined for cutting up:						
	(a) Terry towels, cut or uncut, and terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton, in the piece whether or not defined for cutting up, having a value for duty not exceeding 8s. 8d. per lb. *ad val.*	17½%	55%	55%	17½%	55%	55%
	and, in addition, a temporary duty of *per lb.*	—	—	—	13s. 0d.	13s. 0d.	13s. 0d.
	less ad val.	—	—	—	150%	150%	150%
	provided that, in respect of such goods in direct transit to Australia on June 13, 1962, which are entered for home consumption on arrival, no additional temporary duty shall be payable.						
	(b) Other *ad val.*	(Under former Item 120 (C) (5))	No change		17½%	55%	55%
122	(A) Textile articles, n.e.i., including materials cut into shape therefor:	(Under former Item 120 (C) (5))					
	(1) *Infants' diapers made ready for use, composed of terry towelling and similar terry fabrics, of cotton or in chief part by weight of cotton, having a value for duty not exceeding £1 16s. per dozen* *ad val.*	20%	42½%	42½%	20%	42½%	42½%
	and, in addition, a temporary duty of *per dozen*	—	—	—	£1 16s. 0d.	£1 16s. 0d.	£1 16s. 0d.
	less ad val.	—	—	—	100%	100%	100%
	provided that, in respect of such goods in direct transit to Australia on June 13, 1962, which are entered for home consumption on arrival, no additional temporary duty shall be payable.						
	ad val.	5%	Primage duty 10%	10%	5%	Primage duty 10%	10%
		(Under former Item 122 (A))					
	(2) *Other* *ad val.*		No change		20%	42½%	42½%
	ad val.				5%	Primage duty 10%	10%
		(Under former Item 122 (A))			(except cheese cloth to be used in the dustry (under security))		

Note: Specific rates are shown in Australian currency: £A125 = £ Sterling 100.

Tariff Board Inquiries

THE AUSTRALIAN Minister for Trade has referred to the Tariff Board for inquiry and report the question whether assistance should be accorded the production of:

(1) **Metal working die-casting machines** (Tariff Item 174 (M) (84)).

(2) **Vinyl chloride polymer and copolymer products,** viz.:

(a) Flexible sheets, strip, film, roll film and foil (Tariff Item 368 (A) (2) (b))

(b) Plates, sheets and strip including textile supported, but not including corrugated (Tariff Item 368 (A) (3) (d))

(c) Textile fabrics (Tariff Item 105 (H) (3))

(d) Curtains (Tariff Item 368 (A) (4) (a))

(e) Table cloths, table covers, table centres and the like (Tariff Item 368 (A) (4) (b))

Reference (1) has been made as a result of representations by a local manufacturer.

Details of Tariff Item 174 (M) (84) are given below. Details of the other Tariff Items referred to above will be published in the next issue of the *Board of Trade Journal* under the heading of 'Tariff Changes'.

Tariff Item	Goods	British Preferential	Most-Favoured-Nation	General
174	Machines, machine tools, and appliances for use in connection therewith, viz.:			
	(M) Metal-working machines and appliances (not including extra die-heads), viz.:			
	(84) Die casting machines *ad val.*	Free	7½%	7½%

This matter has been reported by telegraph by the British Senior Trade Commissioner at Canberra, who has been asked by the Australian authorities to notify them at the earliest possible date if any United Kingdom interests propose to tender evidence. In accordance with normal procedure, notification in this instance should be given to the Australian authorities not later than **August 17, 1962.** Before this date, therefore, United Kingdom Trade Associations or firms intending to submit evidence to the Tariff Board should so advise the Commercial Relations and Exports Department, Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1, quoting reference Nos. (1) C.R.E. 8352/62 and (2) C.R.E. 8544/62.

References to the Special Advisory Authority

DETAILS were given in the *Board of Trade Journal* of March 2, 1962 (page 472) of the Australian Government's decision in accordance with which quantitative restrictions may in future be imposed as an alternative, or as an addition to temporary duties.

References have now been made to the Special Advisory Authority in respect of:

(1) **Cycle saddles and tops** (Tariff Item 352 (B))

(2) **Raw and kiln dried chicory** (Tariff Item 43 (A) (2)) **and chicory and preparations containing chicory but not containing coffee** (Tariff Item 43 (B) (2))

Details of the Tariff Items under which the above-mentioned goods are dutiable are given below:

Tariff Item	Goods	British Preferential	Most-Favoured-Nation	General
43	Coffee and chicory:			
	(A) Raw and kiln dried:			
	(2) Chicory . . per lb.	4d.	4d.	4d.
	(B) (2) Chicory, other than raw or kiln dried; preparations containing chicory . per lb.	7d.	7d.	7d.
352	Parts and accessories for goods covered by Item 351 (A), 351 (B) (2) or 351 (C) (2):			
	(B) Saddles, cycle . . . each *and ad val.*	2s. 0d. —	2s. 0d. 22½%	2s. 0d. 22½%

Note: Specific rates are quoted in Australian currency: £A125 = £ Sterling 100.

In the short time available for investigation United Kingdom interests wishing to make their views known to the Special Advisory Authority will no doubt get in touch with their Australian agents or with the London office of the Australian Association of British Manufacturers, 42 Leicester Square, London, W.C.2. (Telephone: Whitehall 5072.)

Any inquiries about this notice should be addressed to the Commercial Relations and Exports Department, Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1 (Telephone: Trafalgar 8855, Ext. 2840 or 3145), quoting reference Nos. (1) C.R.E. 4714/62 and (2) C.R.E. 4060/62.

Tariff Changes

A NUMBER of changes have been made in the Australian Tariff affecting the rates of duty payable on cream of tartar, tyres and tubes, bonded fibre fabrics, discontinuous man-made fibre yarns, and woollen yarns.

Details of these changes will be published in the *Board of Trade Journal* as soon as possible, and meanwhile, may be obtained from the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Tel.: City 5757, Ext. 468.)

CHILE

Amendments to Permitted and Prohibited Import Lists

THE FOLLOWING amendments have been made to Chile's List of Permitted and Prohibited Imports, published in the *Board of Trade Journal* of July 6 (pages 50 to 52), July 13 (pages 109 to 114), July 20 (pages 169 to 173) and July 27 (pages 240 to 247). Items shown as being in the new category E will be subject to a prior import deposit of 5,000 per cent. of the c.i.f. value.

Group	Item	Percentage of	
		Tax surcharge	Prior deposit
5	Add new item: Spruce pine (picca sitchensis).		
51	Alter the item: 'Anti-fouling and anti-corrosive paints for ships' hulls' to read: Anti-fouling paints for ships' hulls	10	B
56	Alter the heading 'Steel wire, on reels, for making tyres, of 0·037 in. diameter covered with zinc and copper' to read: Steel wire for making tyres, of 0·037 in. diameter covered with zinc and copper	5	B
57/8	Insert new item: Mechanisms for movements and rakes for Venetian blinds of the metallic head type.		
57/8	Alter the item 'Cylinders or tubes for gas under pressure, of over 4 kg. per sq. cm.' to read: I – Cylinders or tubes for gas under pressure of more than 40 kg. per sq. cm. with valves and control instruments. II – Cylinders for gases derived from petroleum, with a capacity of more than 150 litres of water. III – Containers or products with pressure propellant (aerosol) up to 5 litres capacity. Cancel the item 'Implements and connections for taps for liquid gas or gas under pressure in cylinders with valves or control instruments.		
57/8	Alter the item 'Pressure reducers for liquid gas' to read: I – Flow reducers for liquid gases derived from petroleum, with pressure connection. II – Flow reducers for liquid gases derived from petroleum, with screw connection, with passage of 2·260 litres per hour (80 cu. ft. or 4½ kg. per hour).		
59	Alter the item 'Machinery for treating ores, excepting the type which figure on the Prohibited List' to read: Machinery for treating ores, excepting crushers up to 500 kg. per hour and jaw crushers, bridge or single acting, from 2½ x 3½ in. up to 11 x 30 in.	1	A
61	Alter the item 'Domestic sewing machines and their spare parts, including complete heads' to read: Domestic sewing machines of the table or portable types; complete heads for domestic sewing machines except pedestal stands and their parts	30	C
72	Alter the item 'Flexible rubber containers of over 200 litres capacity for transporting and storing materials' to read: Flexible rubber containers of over 200 litres capacity for storing materials and material for their repair	10	B
75	Alter the item 'Cloth-backed paper for drawing' to read: Cloth-backed and plastic paper for drawing	10	B
79	Alter the item 'Equipment for radio-communication stations, radio amplifying and radio-receiving sets' to read: Equipment for radio-communication stations, radio amplifying and radio-receiving sets, except television. Cancel the item 'Television equipment, excepting assembled receiving sets'. Add to the Prohibited List, the new item: Television equipment.		
79	Cancel the item 'Sound recorders, not specified'.		
79	Alter the item 'Pieces and parts of radiotelephonic receiving sets, except those which figure on the Prohibited List' to read: Pieces and parts of radiotelephonic receiving sets, except tubes, chassis, cabinets, metallic washers (except pressure washers), terminal strips, connections, round wire springs and screws and others for television receiving sets	50	C
79	Alter the item 'Other unspecified tubes for use in radio-communication, radio transmission, electro-medicine and industry excepting those which figure on the Prohibited List' to read: Other unspecified tubes for use in radio-communication, radio-transmission, electro-medicine and industry except those for television sets	5	C
	Cancel the item 'Other works and objects of pure art'.		
	Alter the item 'Other unspecified tubes for use in radio-receiving and amplifying and television' to read: Other unspecified tubes for use in radio-receiving and amplifying except those which figure on the Prohibited List and all kinds of television tubes	50	C
84	Add new item: Travellers' cheques.		

Group	Item	Category of deposit
1	Mercury or quicksilver	E
6	Sawdust	E
	'Corozo' (Ecuadorean nut)	E
	Cuttings, leaves, roots of medicinal plants	E
7	All items figuring in Group 7	E
8	Mother-of-pearl	E
9	Pigs on the hoof, for slaughter	D
10	Mohair wool	E
	Angora goat's hair or wool	E
	Camel hair	E

Group	Item	Category of deposit
13	Wheat germ	E
	Growing plants	E
	Growing plants and fresh flowers	E
	Seeds in general	E
14	Rice	E
20	Agave fibre	E
	Cabuya	E
	Manila fibre	E
	Rush	E
	Raffia	E
21	Copra for the food industry	E
29	Grated coconut	E
37	Nylon and similar	E
45/53	Bicarbonate of soda for pharmaceutical use	E
	Products for agriculture and cattle raising	E
49	Prepared paste for the manufacture of	E
51	Colourless lacquers	E
	Paints, in tubes, jars	E
54	Silicon steels of 1·8 or more watts per kg.	E
	Steel strips, hot-rolled, descaled and annealed	E
	Varnished tinplate	E
	Common tinplate	E
54	Tinplate of 0·25 mm. thickness	E
	Corrugated galvanized sheets	E
	Smooth galvanized sheets	E
	Chequered plates	E
55	Strips of flexible aluminium for making bendable Bergman-type piping	E
	Flexible aluminium strips and sheeting	E
	Ticonium metal	E
56	Rolled steel shape, with rectangular grooves	E
	Metals for bearings	E
57/58	Black and galvanized steel wire ropes with or without hemp core	B
	Pencil sharpeners for office use	E
	Metal razors	E
	Domestic meat mincers	E
	Mechanisms for swivel chairs	E
	Ice cream measuring scoops	E
59	Cars for transporting minerals 'Granby' type	E
61	Lifts and hoists	E
	Compressors and implements for air conditioning	C
	Autoclaves	C
	Circular edging saws and automatic single-bladed lath cutters	C
	Circular saws combined with vertical shaft machines with conveyor mechanism	C
61	Pumps and motor-pump units	C
	Equipment, machinery, cranes, tackle	C
	Equipment for editing cine films	C
	Automatic feed welding apparatus	C
	Air sterilizers	C
	Extractors and ventilators of over 16 ins.	C
	Hydraulic and mechanical jacks of over 2,000 kg. capacity	C
61	Rubbish incinerators	C
	Combing leathers	C
	Machines for copying plans	C
	Machines for coating	C
	Machines for perforating cheques	C
	Rectilinear knitting machines	C
	Pulleys	C
	Weavers' combs	C
	Light line and screw pulleys	C
	Rubbing leathers	C
	Woodworking lathes	C
62	Steam boilers of more than 100 sq. metres heating	C
	Automatic steam and water generators proper functioning	C
	Electric generating sets	B
63	Batteries, accumulators and their parts	D
	Cylindrical dry batteries	E
	Fluorescent tubes	C
65	Iron buoys	C
	Motor launches	C
	Other boats and material	C
66	Clutch linings, in discs	C
	Brake linings	C
	Batteries for motorcycles and scooters	C
68	Plate glass	D
	Emery discs	B
	Pressed glass	D
	Transparent plate glass	D
72	Rubber catheters	C
	Rods of celluloid or plastic corset-making industry	C
75	Cellophane (r.t.m.) paper in bobbins of not more than 25 cms. in width	E
	Paper for labels for gramophone records	C
	Kraft (r.t.m.) sisal paper	C
	Clothbacked paper	C
	Transparent paper for drawing	C
	Lithographic prints	E
	Religious prints and rosaries	E
78	Sporting chronometers	C
79	Headphones for receiving sets	C
	Gelatine capsules	C
	Photographic copiers	D
	Lenses with optical graduation	C
	Equipment for radio-communication stations except television	C
	Ribbons, wires and unused discs for sound recording	C
	(*Note: The tax surcharge for the above item is* 10 *not* 50%.)	
	Paint brushes of natural marten	C
81	Thermo-insulating ribbons	C
	Sails of dacron	C

Chile (*Continued*)

SECTION II – GROUP 6	
Plants and vegetable seeds for scientific investigation and research	E
Seeds for medicinal or industrial use	E
Wood shavings impregnated with iron oxide	E
American oak shavings, toasted or untoasted, for imparting flavours to wines and liquors	E
Special wood shaving for packing fruit exports	E
Peat (sphagnum and carex) unprocessed, without additives	E
SECTION XI – GROUP 61	
Circular saws combined with vertical shaft machines for cutting wood mouldings and drills, with benches of maximum dimensions 1,200 x 1,000 mm., and minimum 1,000 x 900 mm., with a maximum weight of 1,100 kg. and a minimum of 500 kg., with manually operated conveyor system	C
Circular saws with fixed or tilting benches, with maximum dimensions 1,200 x 1,000 mm. and manually operated conveyor system	C
Carpenters' band saws of 400 to 800 mm. flywheel	C
Carpenters' band saws and resaws, unspecified	C
Band saws for wood, of 1·1 metres flywheel, for 4 inch blade, maximum cutting width 25 ins., 9 feed speeds – from 2·6 to 22 metres per minute, weighing approx. 2,200 kg., fed by means of one roller guide and another feed roller	C
Band resaws of 1·1 metres flywheel diameter, for 4 ins. blades, 5 to 40 metres per minute feed speed, weighing 2,200 kg., the timber being fed through roller guides	C
Metallic frame saws	C
Rubbing machines for bakeries	C
Rotating and rectifying welding machines	C
Drills	C
Fixed bench and axle vertical shaft machines, with manually operated feed, table dimensions 1,200 x 1,000 mm., and up to 3,000 r.p.m.	C
Tools, except those which figure on the Prohibited List	C
Two-man cross-cut saws	C
Dies	C
Phillips type screwdrivers	C
Special tools of non-ferrous metals	C
Nail files and toilet tweezers	C
Taps	C
Rollers for painting	C
Socket punches	C
Complete threading machines	C
Mechanical vices, except those included in the Prohibited List	C
Sundry machines, apparatus and utensils:	
Oilcans	C
Stainless steel pumps	C
Piston pumps of more than 1¼ ins. suction diameter	C
Vacuum pumps	C
Geared pumps with suction diameter over 1¼ ins.	C

Customs Duty—Raw Sugar

BY DECREE No. 3399 promulgated by the Chilean Ministry of Finance of July 11, all duties and other customs charges payable on raw sugar (85 to 97·5 per cent. sucrose) were suspended until December 31, 1962.

ARGENTINA

Emergency Surcharge on Imports

THE *Board of Trade Journal* for May 4, 1962 (page 981) reported the imposition of an extra surcharge of 20 per cent. on imports to Argentina, with certain specified exemptions. Under a recent Argentine Decree the following categories of imports also are exempted from payment of the surcharge:

(a) Material for scientific and technical investigation covered by Decrees Nos. 70627/61, 10475/61 and 2159/62.

(b) Crude petroleum and derivatives and coal which remain expressly free from surcharges by virtue of the system established in Decree No. 66/62.

(c) Road making machinery and spares in accordance with conditions established by Law 15275.

(d) Machines and equipment covered by the following development schemes: cellulose industry (Decree 8141/61), petrochemical industry (Decree 5039/61) and the steel industry (Decree 5038/61).

(e) Secret war material covered by Decree No. 4874/59.

(f) Machinery and equipment covered by Decree 13136/59, only for the fitting out of shipbuilding yards and marine workshops.

(g) Items imported by institutions covered by Decree No. 13262/59 and connected decrees.

(h) Authorizations for the exemption of the payment of surcharges in accordance with Decrees Nos. 11919/58, 7799/59 and 362/61.

(i) Other authorizations to import free from the payment of surcharges granted in individual cases by special decree.

(j) Investment of foreign capital authorized prior to Law 14780 (Foreign Investment Law).

(k) Investment of capital (Law 14780) and production lines (Decree (No. 13277/59) authorized subsequent to Decree No. 2998/62.

PERU

Additions to Duty Exemptions for Raw Materials

BY A Peruvian Supreme Decree of July 4 the following items of raw and semi-finished materials were added to the list of materials on which exemption from import duties may be claimed by the local manufacturing industry. (For previous information see *Board of Trade Journal* of February 16, 1962 – page 376).

Item No.

2100 Only graphite paste for electrodes for electric ovens.

2289 Only special graphite electrodes for preparing ferro-alloys in electric ovens.

MEXICO

Tax Exemptions for New Industries

GENERAL DECLARATIONS under the Law for the Encouragement of New and Necessary Industries granting tax exemptions for the following industries were published in the Mexican *Diario Oficial* on the dates stated:

Published on July 3, 1962

1. The manufacture of frozen concentrated fruit and vegetable juices. This is declared to be a necessary secondary industry and tax exemptions will be granted for five years.

Published on July 4, 1962

2. The manufacture of fuel-consuming incandescent lamps. This is declared to be a new secondary industry and tax exemptions will be granted for five years.

3. The manufacture of gatelock valves with a minimum working pressure of 70 kgs. per sq. cm. This is declared to be a semi-basic industry and tax exemptions will be granted for seven years.

4. The manufacture of high-pressure valve sets, commonly known as 'Christmas tree assemblies', used in the exploitation of oil wells. This is declared to be a new industry and tax exemptions will be granted for seven years.

Exemptions from payment of import duties (100 per cent.), stamp tax (100 per cent.) and sales tax (100 per cent.) and also from income tax, Schedule II (20 per cent. in respect of industry No. 1, 30 per cent. in respect of industry No. 2 and 40 per cent. in respect of industries Nos. 3 and 4) will be granted to interested firms subject to their compliance with the following requirements:

(a) They must maintain the capital structure of their company in such a form that it does not affect the net balance of payments of the country by the exportation of foreign exchange in the form of royalties, technical services, patent rights, interests, etc.

(b) Payments abroad in connection with the purchase or use of patent rights, trade marks, technical assistance, etc., whether in the form of royalties, participation in production, sales or profits, in interests or under other names, whether in cash, in stocks or in credit, will be limited to the percentage of sales which will be determined by the Mexican authorities.

(c) The employment of foreign personnel in direct productive activity is limited to one individual and to the first year of the concession; foreign personnel may be employed in other activities for not more than two years. (In the case of Industry No. 2 the 'one foreign individual for the first year' restriction applies to any activity and not to direct productive activities only). Any foreigners employed are required to train at least two Mexicans to take over their duties when the period of their employment expires.

(d) Total payments to foreign personnel in respect of salaries, honoraria, bonuses, services, etc., must not exceed 10 per cent. (15 per cent. for Industry No. 2) of the total wage bill for all personnel engaged in the activity for which the exemptions are granted.

(e) The firm must comply with the standards of quality which the Mexican authorities may issue.

In addition to the foregoing requirements, the exemptions in

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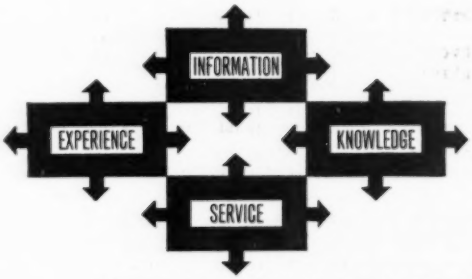

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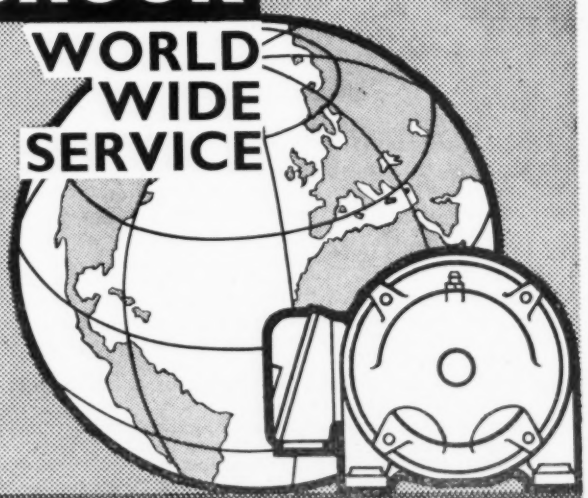

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respect of two of the industries are subject to additional requirements as follows:

Industry No. 1

(i) The fruits and vegetables which they process must be bought directly from Mexican producers.

(ii) The minimum prices at which they may purchase Mexican fruits and vegetables may be fixed by the Mexican authorities.

(iii) If fruit and vegetable producers form part of the firm claiming the exemptions, they may not charge prices higher than those paid to outside producers.

Industry No. 2

(i) The national proportion of the direct costs of production must be at least 95 per cent. of the total costs of production.

Import Licensing

Decree published in the Mexican *Diario Oficial* on, and effective from the date of publication, made goods under the following Tariff headings subject to prior import licence:

Tariff No.	*Description*
Published on July 3, 1962.	
881.00.00	Goggles with protective devices, provided they include plates of plastic materials or non-optical lenses, identifiable by means of catalogues as being intended exclusively for workmen.
895.08.04	Knives with wooden handle, with blade up to 33 cm. in length.
Published on July 6, 1962.	
715.11.19	Machine tools for the manufacture of metal springs.

Further Tax Exemptions

THE MEXICAN *Diario Oficial* of July 11, 1962, published a General Declaration under the Law for the Encouragement of New and Necessary Industries granting tax exemptions for the manufacture of tool steel in bars, ingots or plates, and of inoxidible steels in bars or cast or forged pieces. This is declared to be a new industry. Exemptions will be granted for ten years.

Exemptions from payment of import duties (100 per cent.), stamp tax (100 per cent.), sales tax (100 per cent.) and income tax, Schedule II (40 per cent.) will be granted to interested firms subject to their compliance with the following requirements:

(a) They must maintain the capital structure of their company in such a form that it does not affect the net balance of payments of the country by the exportation of foreign exchange in the form of royalties, technical services, patent rights, interests, etc.

(b) Payments abroad in connection with the purchase or use of patent rights, trade marks, technical assistance, etc., whether in the form of royalties, participation in production, sales or profits, in interests or under other names, whether in cash, in stocks or in credit, will be limited to the percentage of sales which the Mexican authorities will determine.

(c) The employment of foreign personnel is limited to one individual and to the first year of the concession, for direct productive activities; foreign personnel may be employed in other activities for not more than two years. Any foreigners employed are required to train at least two Mexicans to take over their duties when the period of their employment expires.

(d) Total payments to foreign personnel in respect of salaries, honoraria, bonuses, services, etc. must not exceed 10 per cent. of the total wage bill for all personnel engaged in the activities for which the exemptions are granted.

(e) The firm must comply with the standards of quality of the American Iron and Steel Institute insofar as these have been adopted by the Mexican authorities.

BARBADOS

Exemptions from Import Duties

THE BOARD OF TRADE have received a copy of an Order which amends the Second Schedule of the Barbados Customs Tariff Act, 1921 (Table of Exemptions from Import Duty) by inserting immediately after the paragraph beginning with the words 'All chemicals, apparatus, articles, materials and equipment imported by or on behalf of the Brace Experiment Station' the following new paragraph:

All articles, equipment and building materials imported by or on behalf of the Barbados Museum and Historical Society to be used exclusively for the purposes and objects of the Barbados Museum and Historical Society and not for the purposes of sale or other disposal, on the certificate to that effect of the Director of the Barbados Museum and Historical Society.

Any inquiries about the above notice should be addressed to the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Telephone: City 5757.)

CANADA

'Made in Canada' Ruling

THE FOLLOWING rulings have been made for Customs purposes:

Of 'a class or kind made in Canada'

Metal baling presses, designed to produce bales weighing from 500 pounds up to and including 3000 pounds.
Note: Metal baling presses designed to produce bales weighing up to 500 pounds have been ruled previously of a class or kind made in Canada.
(Ruling effective August 8, 1962.)

Hot and cold food carts, containing refrigeration units and heating elements, and as used in institutions for transportation of meals.
(Ruling effective August 8, 1962.)

Fishermen's spinning reels used by sportsmen.

Specially designed needles for use in repairing fish nets.
(Ruling effective August 8, 1962.)

Electric motor powered beds.
(Ruling effective August 8, 1962.)

Chromium oxide (chromic oxide).
(Ruling effective August 9, 1962.)

Butyl isodecyl phthalate
Butyl stearate
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Ethylene thiourea (2-mercaptoimidazoline)
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PBD (2-phenyl-5-(4-biphenylyl)-1, 3, 4-oxadiazole
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Sodium isopropyl xanthate
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Tetracycline
Warfarin
(Ruling effective August 9, 1962.)

The above information is contained in Canadian Department of National Revenue Memoranda D51-11-1, D51-9-2, D51-34 and D51-35-1 dated July 17, 1962, and D51-31-1 and D51-33-4 dated July 18, 1962.

Surcharge on Imports

DETAILS WERE published in the *Board of Trade Journal* (page 86) dated July 13, 1962, of the tariff items affected by the temporary graduated surcharge to be imposed on imported goods.

The Canadian Government has now issued Order-in-Council P.C. 1962 – 987, dated July 11, which amends Schedule C by deleting the following tariff item:

Tariff Item	Description
200	Pulp of wood, of straw or of any other vegetable fibre

UNITED STATES

Imports of Cordage and Twine

A NOTICE was published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on September 30, 1960 (page 780) about an investigation by the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization (now the Office of Emergency Planning) under the provisions of Section 8 of the Trade Agree-

(*Continued on next page*)

United States *(Continued)*

ments Extension Act of 1958 to determine whether imports of hard fibre cordage and twine were threatening to impair the national security of the United States.

The Director of the Office of Emergency Planning has now announced his decision, which is that imports of such cordage and twine are not at present a threat to the national security. His report concludes that imports are only one of the problems facing the domestic industry, which include domestic marketing difficulties and the replacement of natural fibre products by man-made fibres and other materials. Moreover, a substantial proportion of imports were from Canada and Mexico; and these were countries which could be expected to maintain their supplies in a national emergency.

A copy of the report may be seen at the Commercial Relations and Exports Department (United States Branch), Board of Trade, Horse Guards Avenue, London, S.W.1. (Tel.: Trafalgar 8855, Ext. 2856.)

EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY

Implementation of Fruit and Vegetables Standards

THE E.E.C. has now published in the *Journal Officiel des Communautes Europeennes* of July 20, 1962, grading standards for sweet oranges, tangerines, clementines and lemons. Exporters to the Six will, as from July 30, 1962, be required to comply with these, along with the other grading standards for fruit and vegetables which have already been published. A full list of the other fruit and vegetables covered by grading standards was given in the announcement about the E.E.C.'s common agricultural policy in the *Board of Trade Journal* of July 27, 1962, page 216. A translation of these latest standards will be circulated by the Ministry of Agriculture, Fisheries and Food to the trade organizations concerned as soon as one is available. In addition, the translation will be published as soon as possible by H.M. Stationery Office.

FRANCE

Liberalization of Imports

THE FRENCH *Journal Officiel* of July 26, 1962, published the following addition to the list of goods for which a visa from the appropriate Service Technique is required (see *Board of Trade Journal*, April 21, 1961, page 956).

Under:	B	Ministere de l'Industrie, Direction des Industries Mecaniques et Electriques.
Add:	84-15 ex A	Electro-domestic compression refrigerators.
	84-15 B	Furniture and installations designed to be fitted with a refrigerating unit.

The French text of the notice may be seen at the Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Room E.38, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4.

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THE NETHERLANDS

Import Duty Tariff Quotas

A NETHERLANDS Ministerial Order No. D 2/6258 of July 20, 1962 (*Nederlandse Staatscourant* No. 139 of July 20, 1962), contains additions (reproduced below) to the list of goods to be admitted free of import duty up to an annual quota specified against each item when imported from *non-E.E.C.* countries. Goods imported under the terms of this Order may *NOT* be re-exported from The Netherlands before they have undergone some form of further manufacture or treatment. (Cleaning, sifting, washing, dyeing, bottling, packing in bags, affixing labels, etc., will not be regarded as having been further manufactured or treated.)

The order came into force from July 23, 1962.

Additions

Tariff No.	Description of Goods	Annual Quota (Quantity: Metric tons)
29.01 D VI b	Divinylbenzene	Unlimited*
ex 29.13 D I d	Dehydroepiandrosterone	Unlimited

* From July 23, 1962, until September 30, 1962, inclusive.

A previous notice on The Netherlands Import Duty Tariff Quotas was published in the *Board of Trade Journal* on July 13, 1962, page 96.

AUSTRIA

Quotas for Imports of Restricted Goods

THE AUSTRIAN Government have announced that the O.E.C.D. global quotas for the six months ending June 30, 1962, detailed in the *Board of Trade Journal* of March 30, 1962, pages 718-721, will be increased by 20 per cent. for the six months ending December 31, 1962, with the exception of the following items which are increased as follows:—

Customs Tariff No.	Commodity	Quota in Million Schillings
ex 08.09A	Melons as far as not liberalized	1·0, to cover the period January 1, 1962, to December 31, 1962.
ex 19.08	Pastry, cakes and other fine bakers' wares, not containing cocoa	1·95, to cover the period July 1, 1962, to December 31, 1962.
ex 20.02	Vegetables prepared or preserved otherwise than by vinegar or acetic acid, as far as not liberalized	3·0, to cover the period July 1, 1962, to December 31, 1962.
57.06	Yarn of jute	150 tons, to cover the period July 1, 1962, to December 31, 1962.

Any part of a quota which remains unused at the end of a six-monthly period will be added to the quota available for the following period.

Inquiries about this notice should be addressed to Export Services Branch, Board of Trade, Room E.39, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Telephone: City 5757, Ext. 449.)

PORTUGAL

Additions to the Import Drawback System

BY DECREE No. 44,403 of June 16, 1962, the Portuguese Government has authorized the importation, under the import drawback system, of copper wire-bars destined to the manufacture of copper bars, cables wire profiles, tubes and rods.

This authorization is valid for a period of two years and may be renewed at the request of the interested parties. The duties corresponding to the net weight of the raw material imported shall be refunded.

A copy of the Decree in Portuguese may be seen in the Export Services Branch (Tariff Section), Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Telephone: City 5757, Ext. 460 or 462.)

BELGIUM

Price Regulations on Pharmaceutical Specialities

A BELGIAN Ministerial Order dated July 18, 1962 (*Moniteur Belge* No. 173 of July 20, 1962), contains regulations controlling the price of pharmaceutical specialities.† *The Order is due to come into force on August* 1, 1962.

Provisions covered by the Order include:

(a) Pharmaceutical specialities may not be sold to the public at prices higher than the maximum prices laid down under the Order. They may *Not*, in any case, be sold at prices higher than those legally applied on June 30, 1962 (Article 2);

(b) Profit margins of the wholesaler and pharmacist may not exceed 12½ per cent. and 30 per cent. respectively in determining the maximum sale price to the public. Rebates, discounts, etc., will not be taken into account in fixing this maximum price (Article 3);

(c) Criteria for assessing the maximum sale price of the manufacturer to the wholesaler of pharmaceutical specialities manufactured and made up in Belgium, *Not* having an original equivalent abroad (Articles 4 and 5);

(d) Maximum sale price of pharmaceutical specialities manufactured and made up in Belgium but having their original equivalent abroad may *Not* exceed by more than 19 per cent. the sale price to the public in the country of origin* (Article 6);

(e) Maximum sale price of pharmaceutical specialities made up in Belgium from a medicament imported in bulk may *Not* exceed by more than 19 per cent. the sale price to the public in the country of origin* (Article 7);

(f) Maximum sale price of pharmaceutical specialities imported entirely made up may *Not* exceed by more than 14 per cent. the sale price to the public in the country of origin* (Article 8);

(g) Where imports do *Not* pay customs duty, the percentages mentioned under (d), (e) and (f) above are fixed at 10 per cent. (Article 9);

(h) If the sale price of a pharmaceutical speciality established in conformity with the provisions of the Order exceeds 400 Belgian francs, then prior Ministerial approval must be obtained (Article 11);

(i) The sale price must appear on the packaging of the pharmaceutical speciality (Article 13);

(j) In exceptional cases, waivers to the provisions of this Order regarding maximum prices may be granted by the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Power (Article 14);

(k) A declaration [specimen form annexed to the Order] covering the whole range of pharmaceutical specialities offered for sale on the Belgian market must be sent by *September* 1, 1962, *at the latest*, to the Ministry of Economic Affairs and Power "Ministere des Affaires economiques et de l'Energie—Service des Prix—Specialities pharmaceutiques, square de Meeüs, 23, Bruxelles 4." The marketing, the withdrawal or the subsequent modification of price or presentation of a pharmaceutical speciality must be notified to the same address within three days (Article 16);

(l) Wholesalers and pharmacists are authorized to charge the prices stated on the labels affixed to the pharmaceutical speciality before the entry into force of the Order during a period *Not* exceeding two months from the date of entry into force of the Order (Article 21).

†This Ministerial Order supersedes that of June 28, 1961, details of which were published in the *Board of Trade Journal* of July 21, 1961, page 175. Attention is here drawn to the fact that many of the provisions laid down under the earlier Ministerial Order have been retained in the new one.

*Expressed in Belgian francs taking into account the official rate of exchange.

The full text of the above-mentioned Order (in French) may be seen at the Export Services Branch (Tariff Section), Board of Trade, Room E.38, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Telephone: City 5757, Ext. 479.)

ITALY

Modification of Customs Duties

THE ITALIAN *Gazzetta Ufficiale* of June 26 and June 30 contained Decrees modifying the Italian Customs Tariff, as from July 1, 1962.

The modifications arise from:

(a) the further reduction of duties against the member countries of the European Economic Community (see *Board of Trade Journal* of June 29, 1962, page 1420).

(b) the result of the negotiations with U.S.A. under Art. XXIV/6 of the General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade (these changes took effect as at March 1, 1962).

(c) changes in the duty on manufactured tobacco, in accordance with a decision of the European Economic Community, from a specific to an *ad valorem* duty (for amended rates, applying to non-EEC countries, see *Board of Trade Journal* of March 9, 1962, page 519).

(d) other decisions made by the European Economic Community concerning tariffs.

(e) certain increases in duty-free quotas for items from EEC countries.

(f) certain suspensions and reductions of duty until December 31, 1962, details of which are given below. They apply to imports from all countries.

The opportunity has also been taken to make certain alterations to the text of the Tariff to bring it into line with the Brussels nomenclature.

Modifications affecting imports from Britain, under items (b), (e) and (d) above, are restricted to the following tariff numbers:

The modifications arise from:

16.04	50.03	68.13	84.54
24.02	50.07	68.14	84.55
28.01	54.01	68.15	84.59
28.34	54.05	69.07	85.06
28.38	55.07	74.17	85.15
ex 29.02	55.09	84.06	85.19
29.16	57.07	84.18	87.06
29.34	58.05	84.22	87.07
32.07	65.01	84.37	94.01
38.14	65.02	84.53	94.03
44.05			97.02

Reduction and Suspension of Customs Duties

THE ITALIAN *Gazzetta Ufficiale* of June 26, 1962, publishes an announcement that the customs duties on the following products, imported from any country, have been either suspended or reduced until December 31, 1962.

Tariff Heading	Provisional Suspension of Duty
15.04 C (1)	Whale oil.
ex 29.13	Oxydo-pregnenolone.
ex 29.14 A (II) (c) (5) (dd)	Pregnenolone acetate.
ex 29.42 C (VIII) (c)	Natural alkaloids of ergot of rye. Dihydroergotamine and its salts.

Tariff Heading	Description	Reduced Rate of Duty % *ad val.*
	Heterocyclic compounds, including nucleic acids:	
29.35 Ex O (VII) (a)	4-amino-5 (methoxy methyl)-2-propyl-pyrimidine	3
	3·5-dioxy-1·2 diphenyl-4-normal-butyl-pyrasolidine	6
	2H-[(2-Hydroxy-5-methyl) phenyl] benzotriazole	5
	N-(Gamma-dimethylaminopropyl)-iminodibenzyl-chlorhydrate *or* 5-(3-dimethylaminopropyl) 10-11-dihydro-5-H-dibenzo (b-f) azepine chlorhydrate	5
	(d)-3-Methoxy-N-methyl morphinane and its salts	5
	3 (Hydroxymethyl) pyridine and its salts	5
	6-Allyl-6-7-dihydro-5H-dibenzo (c-e)-azepine and its salts	5
	7-Chloro-2-methylamino-5-phenyl-3-H-1-4-benzo (f) diazepine-4-oxide and its salts	5
	N-Isonicotinoyl-N isopropyl hydrazine	5
	2-Methyl-9-phenyl-2-3-4-9-tetrahydro 1-H-indeno (2, 1-c)-pyridine and its salts	5
	Bromide of -1-methyl-3-dimethyl carbamoyl-oxy-pyridinium	5
	(1)-3-Hydroxy-N-methyl morphinane and its salts	5
	Gamma picoline	6
	Thiophosphate de 0, 0-diethyl-0-(4-methyl 2-isopropyl)-6-pyrimidyle	6
	2-Chloro-6-ethylamino-4-isopropylamino-1, 3, triazine	6
	2-Chloro-4, 6-bis-(ethylamino)-1, 3, 5-triazin	6
29-35 Ex O (VII) (b)	-1-Methyl-4-[N-phenyl-N (2-thenyl)] aminopi dine, its tartrate and maleate	5
	-3-Methylmercapto-N-[2'-(N-methyl-2 piperid, ethyl]-phenothiazine and its chlorhydrate *or* -2-methylthio-10-[2-N-methyl-2-piperidyl)-ethyl]-phenothiazine and its chlorhydrate	5
	-2-Chloro-9-(3-dimethylamino-propylidene)-thio-xanthene	5
	Provitamins and vitamins, natural or reproduced by synthesis, including concentrates and intermixtures, whether or not in any solvent:	
29.38 Ex B (I) (e)	Vitamin B6	4
	Glycosides, natural or reproduced by synthesis, and their salts, ethers, esters and other derivatives:	
29.41 Ex A	Acetyl digitoxine, lamatoside C, lamatoside A + B + C and digitoxine	
29.41 Ex D	Pure glucoside of squill and salts of calcium Sennoside A and B	2

The Italian text of these Decrees can be seen in Export Services Branch (Tariff Section), Room E.45, Hillgate House, 35 Old Bailey, London, E.C.4. (Telephone: City 5757. Exts. 456, 457.)

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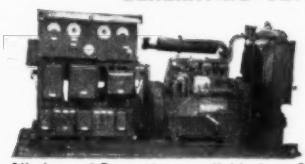

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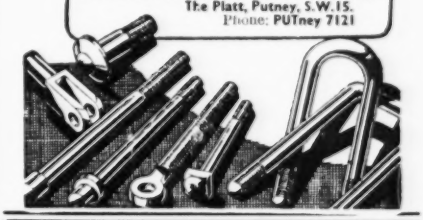

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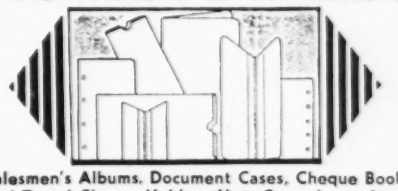

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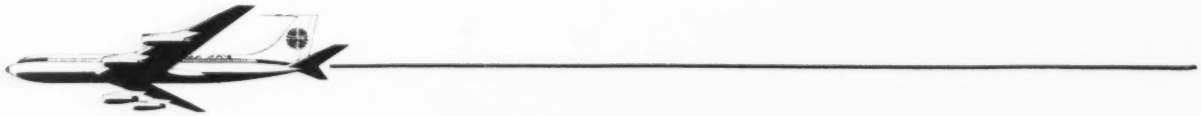

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